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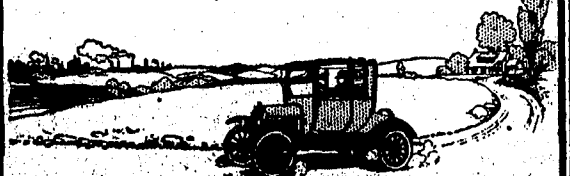
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OPEN DRIVE FOR NEW M. N. G.

200 VETERAN MICHIGAN OFFICERS MEET AT GRAYLING CAMP TO BACK PROJECT.

Hanson State Military Reservation, Grayling, Mich., July 24.—Two hundred former officers who served in the World war, representing every branch of the service, arrived at the Hanson State Military Reservation here, Saturday morning on a special Pullman train, for a two days' reunion and camp.

Colonel John S. Bersey, adjutant-general of the Michigan National Guard, explained that the officers were called together for the purpose of getting them interested in the organization of the Michigan National Guard, now being formed throughout the state under the new reorganization act. It is proposed as far as possible to get the old officers who served under fire in the Great War to actively identify themselves in the new National Guard units being formed in their home cities or vicinity.

Will Continue Old Units.

Colonel Bersey explained that the old numbers and names of organizations will be retained as far as practicable. The two regiments of infantry allowed Michigan will be known as the 125th infantry and 126th infantry, Michigan National Guard. Colonel Bersey said further that the records and flags will be kept intact with the new regiments as far as possible. According to Colonel Bersey, there are 150 old officers in the Michigan National Guard Reserve corps, and most of these will be assigned to active duty as soon as units in their respective cities and towns have been organized.

At present, three companies of infantry have been accepted in the new state militia, and there are eight companies of infantry and two troops of cavalry ready to be mustered into service as soon as the war department is ready to accept them. One of the companies already accepted is located in Detroit, one in Big Rapids and one in Grand Haven.

A detachment of 30 men, under command of Captain Olsen of the Grand Haven company was on duty at the reservation, looking after the visiting officers.

Colonel Bersey and Major LeRoy Pearson, quartermaster general of the Michigan National Guard, met the officers at the entrance to the camp grounds and extended to them the hospitality of the state. Automobiles then took the soldiers to the mess hall, which was officially opened by the officers and Governor Sleeper. The party then sat down to an army breakfast of bacon and eggs, fried "spuds" and bread, butter and coffee.

The visiting officers were invited to make the club house their home during their stay. Cots were placed in tents alongside the club house for sleeping quarters.

Michigan is signally honored in the selection of Lieutenant-Colonel Guy M. Wilson, of Flint, who has been detailed with the regular army general staff to work out plans for the army reorganization, authorized by congress at the last session. He is one of 15 officers, chosen from the national guard and the national army of the United States. Officers here feel the state and the Thirty-second division in which he served, both are honored.

Hospital Plan Abandoned.

Major General William G. Hahn, who commanded the Thirty-second division of his old division here, but he telegraphed Colonel Bersey that his plans, as laid out by the war department, made it impossible for him to visit here for even a few hours.

There does not seem to be any possibility that the hospital at the camp here will be used for the care of Michigan tubercular ex-soldiers, who have no place to receive medical care. Governor Sleeper had surgeons examine the hospital and conditions here

this week, and they decided that the camp is too far from Grayling and consequently patients would become lonesome, and further that this climate is too severe for patients of this class in the winter.

Covell to Command Guard.

Among the prominent officers were Brigadier General Louis Covell, former commander of the Michigan National Guard, who will command the Michigan brigade as soon as it is organized; Colonel Chester MacCormick, who commanded the 19th Field artillery during the war; Colonel A. C. Pack; Major Schouten; Major John W. Smith, former adjutant general of the Michigan brigade, and many others of the old-time officers who were in the guard when it camped on this site for the first time.

"I cannot forget the many boys who were mobilized here in 1917, and whose bodies lie beneath the flowers of France," said Colonel MacCormick Saturday morning. "These hills resounded with their cheers when they reached camp, and they were really the flower of Michigan youth. As I look around here I cannot help picturing the last place I saw many of these boys who fell facing the Germans."

The meeting was continued over to Sunday morning when formal discussions were held in the interest of reorganization of the Michigan guard. It appears from reports that many of those serving in the war were opposed to National guard service among whom the sentiment "never again" seemed to prevail. It was brot out that such sentiments came almost entirely from those who entered the service during the war when discipline was the most rigid, hard drilling and hard work characterizing the everyday program. While among the old members of the National guard under peace times the guard service was an inspiration, a developer of character and physical resources. Also the annual summer encampment at the Hanson reservation was something to look forward to with pleasure and delightful anticipation. "There is no finer summer resort in all America" said one of the speakers, "and no military camp in the world that is equal to it."

The men present organized themselves into a National guard boosters association and pledged themselves to use their best efforts toward the reestablishment of the Michigan guard. The federal government has set the number at 12,000 men which Michigan must produce within a term of about three or four years.

TEACHERS' EXAMINATION.

Crawford County teachers' examination will be held at the Court house in Grayling, on the days of August 12th, 13th and 14th.

General information in regard to the examination:—

In the examinations in theory and art of teaching, three questions will be based on Up's Rural Education and the Consolidated school, two on Brewster's Vocational guidance or the professions, and one on Monroe's Measuring the results of teaching.

Two questions of the examinations in reading will be based on Monroe's Measuring the results of teaching, and the remainder on The Teaching of reading, published as Bulletin No. 4 by the department of Public instruction.

In spelling and orthography, two questions in each examination will be based on Monroe's Measuring the results of teaching and the remainder on Word study and spelling, published as Bulletin No. 10 by the department of Public instruction.

One question of the examinations in each of the following subjects will be based on Monroe's Measuring the results of teaching: arithmetic, penmanship, grammar, geography, history.

M. E. Hoyt, Comm'r.

SEALED BIDS.

I will receive sealed bids until July 31, 1920, for scraping and painting two coat work on School house, District No. 1, Frederic Township.

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C. S. Barber, Sec.

PASSING OF PIONEER CITIZEN

MRS. W. F. BRINK DIES SUDDENLY FROM HEART TROUBLE.

Mrs. William F. Brink, one of Crawford county's oldest pioneer citizens died suddenly from heart failure Wednesday afternoon.

She was actively engaged at her housework when she suddenly collapsed and was soon beyond all human aid. She had been out in the garden talking with her husband and came into the house. Mr. Brink says that he came into the house not more than five minutes later and found her dead on the floor.

Mrs. Brink was a beautiful character, a loving wife, companion and mother and a devout christian. She had many close friends to whom she was most dear. She was a delightful companion and has always been held in high esteem among those who knew her best.

Martha M. Brown was born at Lake Orion in the year 1845. December 28, 1869 she was united in marriage to William F. Brink at Hunters Creek in Lapeer county. They came to Grayling to live in the year 1881 where they have since resided. She is survived by her husband, and two sons—Arthur of Everett, Wash., and Rolla of Bay City.

Mrs. Arthur Brink and two children Harold and Dorothy, have been here for some time, but at the time of Mrs. Brink's death were spending a few days at Sterling. They arrived here this morning together with Rolla Brink and wife, Arthur Brink telegraphed that he was leaving Washington and is expected here about Sunday morning. The funeral will be held from the home probably Sunday altho the day is not yet definitely determined.

MRS. ALBERT SHELLENBARGER PASSED AWAY AFTER LONG ILLNESS.

Death came last Sunday morning to relieve the sufferings of Mrs. Albert Shellenbarger, who has been ill with cancer for almost a year.

Before her marriage in September 1897, she was known as Miss Pearl Ackerman, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. Ackerman. She was born August 27th, 1881 at Para Cheney, where her parents had settled when coming to Crawford county. Her entire life was spent in this county where she had always been at home with her parents. No children came to bless the home of Mr. and Mrs. Shellenbarger. Besides her husband, her father, Chris. Ackerman of Detroit and two brothers, Ora, who resides in the West and Christa Ackerman of this city survive, also a half sister, Mrs. Emma Geister of Grand Rapids.

Mrs. Shellenbarger had a wide circle of friends on the south side among whom she was well and favorably known. During her illness she bore her sufferings with much patience, never complaining.

The funeral, which was well attended was held at the home Tuesday afternoon at 3:00 o'clock conducted by David Christie, evangelist.

CHURCH WEDDING.

Unusually attractive was the wedding of Miss Elsie August Wendel, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Wendel of 52 Back Bay Boulevard, and Samuel W. Rasmussen of Detroit, Mich., which took place at the St. Ansgar Lutheran Church Wednesday evening, July 14th, at 7:00. Reverend Viggo Hansen was the officiating clergyman, the bride's father giving her in marriage. The music was in charge of Mrs. Viggo Hansen.

The bride, who is a very attractive girl, was gown in white georgette, wearing a veil of white tulle caught with orange blossoms. Her bouquet was of white roses and valley lilies.

Miss Thora Sorensen of New York was the maid of honor, and wore white georgette. The bride's two sisters, wearing pink and blue voile frocks, were the bridesmaids.

The groom was attended by Mr. Martin Hagermeister of Portsmouth, New Hampshire.

Immediately following the church ceremony, an informal reception was held at the bride's home, the decorations being in the National colors. About 50 guests were invited to the reception.

The couple left the same evening to spend a few weeks at Old Orchard Beach.

The out-of-town guests were the Misses Thora and Ellen Sorensen of New York and Martin Hagermeister of Portsmouth, N. H.

The groom is the son of Mr. and Mrs. Rasmus Rasmussen of Grayling, Mich.—Portland, Maine, News.

Mr. and Mrs. Rasmussen expect to come to Grayling soon to visit the groom's parents.

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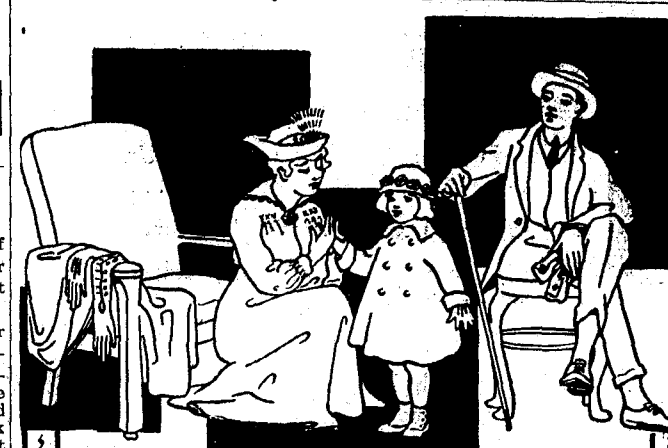
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The Man Who Wasn't Himself

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"YOUR FIANCEE WAITS."

SYNOPSIS.—Alighting from a train at Denver a well-dressed traveler is familiarly accosted by a man about his own age. The traveler ignores the advance. A few minutes later he is greeted as "Will" by an elderly lady and gentleman, who stop their auto to speak. He mistakes it a case of mistaken identity and announces himself as "Richard Clinton," on his way to the coast. The couple appear greatly surprised, and learning he is to be in town until midnight, the lady, introducing herself as Mrs. Kirkland, and her husband as Doctor Kirkland, invites him to dinner, explaining the action by his truly remarkable resemblance to a friend of theirs. He accepts. At the Kirkland home he meets a young lady who greets him as her fiancée. She is Ellen Kirkland, and plainly is greatly hurt by his assertion that he is "Richard Clinton." At dinner "Clinton" learns that his host is a medical specialist and that he is believed to be Will Lowrie, a young man who had been suffering from a nervous breakdown and had come here for medical treatment. Lowrie had had in his possession bonds of the value of \$10,000, belonging to the bank where he was employed, which have disappeared and of which he has no recollection. With Doctor Kirkland "Clinton" goes to the Lowrie home, the doctor being satisfied that Amy Lowrie, Will's sister, will convince "Clinton" he is Will Lowrie.

CHAPTER IV—Continued.

"Stay? You mean stay here and rob me of my trip?" pouted the girl.

"Very sensibly," exclaimed Mrs. Kirkland.

"Unless you drive me mad," qualified Clinton. "I shall stay in Denver, but on condition that Doctor Kirkland shall at once telegraph to inquire about Mr. Lowrie."

"The telegram shall be sent to-night," said Doctor Kirkland. "No doubt we shall hear from the sanitarium some time tomorrow."

"Very well, I suppose I can keep sane that long. May I ask you to send telegrams for me to—No, that will not be necessary. The answer to your telegram will prove that I cannot be Mr. Lowrie."

"Mr. Lowrie," chuckled Benm. Clinton flushed and almost snatched out a wallet, which he opened so hurriedly that the contents fell from it. Among them was a bank draft and a yard-long railroad ticket. As he caught these from his lap to hand to Doctor Kirkland Benm stooped to pick up the baggage check that had fallen on the floor. With them lay a numbered brass piece such as is given out as a receipt at checking counters.

When Benm handed Clinton the paper baggage check the metal check was not with them nor was it on the rug. The owner did not notice its absence. He was pointing to the name on the ticket and draft.

"There is clear proof of my identity," he said. "Stupid of me not to have thought of it before. Draft drawn in my favor; my signature on the ticket."

Benm glanced at the signature and said a trifle sharply: "That's not your writing."

"You mean it is not Will Lowrie's," corrected Clinton. "It is my name, 'Richard Clinton,' and my signature."

"One of the results of dissociation is a change of handwriting," observed Doctor Kirkland in his most cocksure tone.

"There is the bank draft," argued Clinton. "It is drawn on San Francisco. I shall cash it tomorrow."

Benm shot a quick glance at the physician and lightly remarked: "You'll need to be identified. I'll be glad to introduce you to your bank."

"My other self's bank," chuckled Benm.

"As Will Lowrie, you know, you were confidential agent and broker of the Fourth National," explained Doctor Kirkland. "Charlie and I have our accounts there, so it will be less awkward for you to present your draft where he and I can explain the situation."

"Explain?" muttered Clinton. "Well, I suppose I must make the best of it. Now if you'll kindly give me your office card and the address of the bank and direct me to the nearest hotel."

"Listen to him!" cried Amy. "He tells—when he's at home! That comes of traveling for months."

"Miss Lowrie," he gravely replied, "your mother is away. I can no more stay here than I could have agreed to your traveling alone with me."

"Isn't he the silliest!"

"I mean it."

"Mamma, what if Amy should ask us to stay tonight?" suggested Ellen. Clinton looked about him with the alarm of the bird under the descending net of the fowler. "Mrs. Kirkland, I must beg you—" he protested.

The lady smiled reassuringly. "Ellen has solved the difficulty. We may call it a house party, and you a guest as well as she and I."

"Leaving me out of it," complained Benm. "Why shouldn't he put up at my lodgings for the night?"

"Just the thing," agreed Clinton. "Very good of you, Mr. Benm. I will—will save Miss Lowrie the trouble of—"



"If It Wasn't for These Dirty Old Gloves—"

him, only to stop in sudden remembrance and stand blushing between dismay and half-hearted expectancy.

"Good night—excuse me—good night," he stammered, and hurried out past Amy into the hall.

She darted after him, but he did not overtake him until he paused in the upper hall before the door of a deliciously dainty pink and ivory boudoir. She placed a caressing hand on his shoulder when, at the sight of the feminine furnishings of the room, he would have stepped back.

"Aren't you going to tell me how much prettier it is than it was?" she reproached.

"You forget this is the first time I ever—It is very pretty, though. Far too exquisite for a man."

"Horrors!" she cried. "You must be half asleep. Go on to your own room."

He looked at the closed doors of the other rooms as if in doubt. She cut short his hesitation by leading him to the end of the hall and into a large, simply furnished bedroom.

"Didn't I tell you?" she said. "Tillie has everything neat as a pin. She darted ahead into a closet and came out with an armful of garments. 'Yes, Tillie has hung up your lounging robe and pajamas. Here they are. You'll want a good hot bath after your trip; and there's Ellen and her mamma—so I'll not stop to talk. Good night.'"

"Good night," he replied, trying to avoid her affectionate gaze.

"We must not keep them waiting," she said, upturning her Cupid's bow lips to him.

To have altogether refused that invitation would have been an impossibility. He caught her small hand between his hands and bent down to kiss her forehead. "Little sister—little sister!" he half whispered. "Now go, please go!"

"Will!" she ecstatically gasped. "You do—do remember me!"

"No, it's not that," he hastened to curb her joy. "Please go at once."

She went out dejected. He bolted the door and looked about the room with an abstracted gaze. The almost absolute simplicity of the decorations and furniture gave marked prominence to the two large photographs on the dresser. The young man went across to study the faces that the photographer had represented with unusual fidelity. Though so dissimilar they were alike in being lovely.

He smiled whimsically and murmured: "Two darlings—my fiancée and my little—sister!"

CHAPTER V.

Early Birds.

At sunrise Clinton was awakened by the dazzling rays that streamed in at his open window.

He hastened to where he had left his clothes. They were arranged in a different manner from that in which

Kirkland. "When Toodlums puts her foot down—Come, Charlie. Good night, my dear. Girls, don't let him escape you."

"Don't worry," replied Amy. "Ellen and I shall treat him so nice that he won't want to leave."

"I'd be glad to stay even if you beat me," suggested Benm.

"That would make it quite a house party," observed Ellen with a wistful glance at Clinton.

Amy laughed outright. "She and Charlie are going into horticulture. They think two peaches will make two pairs, if provided with the correct accessories."

"Is there a man in town more correct than yours most devotedly?" queried Benm.

"The only gentlemen invited to this house party are brothers," bantered the little hostess. "Do join us!"

"Thanks, no! Good evening, everybody. Meet you at the bank, Will. Benm covered his hasty retreat. "I'm coming, doctor. Leave the door open."

Even Clinton smiled at the precipitate flight of the young elegant.

"Trust Tillie to have his room all ready," said Amy. "I'll put him to bed right away. Come, brotherkins, else the sandman will catch you. It's time you toddled off to slumberland."

Clinton looked to Mrs. Kirkland for succor. The lady smiled and graciously wished him, "Pleasant dreams!"

"Good night!" murmured Ellen. She impulsively rose and started toward

he left them—they had an odd look—the suit was not his own. Though not unlike in color, the pattern and texture were dissimilar. On the dresser lay all the articles that had been in his suit except the handkerchiefs. Fresh linen and underwear were laid out in the place of what he had worn. His shoes set where he had left them, but they had been carefully polished. It was easy to divine that while he slept someone had come into the room through the rear door or the passage that led to the bathroom.

Accustomed to hotels, he glanced along the walls in search of a bell push button. On the side near the rear was a round contrivance. He went over and recognized it as the mouthpiece of an old-fashioned speaking tube. He stooped to it and called irritably: "Hello, hello. Is this the kitchen? Hello—"

"Yes, yes, I'm here, Mr. Will," came back the voice of old Tillie. "My! but it does sound natural to hear you ginning me up—"

"It's my clothes," broke in Clinton. "I want my suit."

"Suit?" was the astonished reply. "Why, I laid out the very best every-day one you left."

"No, no. I mean my own suit; the one I wore last evening."

"That? But you can't have it until I get the pants pressed and the coat cleaned. There's a grease spot 'most as big as—"

Clinton slammed down the cover of the mouthpiece and returned to glower at the chattering suit. But he did not long remain inactive. Up through the open window floated a clear, sweet hail: "O-hoo! O-hoo, lazybones! Aren't you coming down?"

He leaped into the fresh costume and dashed to the bathroom without stopping to examine the fit of the garments. That he was able to get into them at all was sufficient to satisfy him for the time being. With hair half brushed he hurried out into the hall, fastening his tie.

"You are?" she incredulously questioned. "Well, if you mean it—"

"How could I help it when you called me?" he asked.

"But I know how much you like to lie abed. If it wasn't for these dirty old gloves I'd give you a big hug for it."

He looked quickly aside and replied in a tone of brotherly banter: "Like the Mikado, you make the punishment fit the crime."

"Meanie!" she pouted. "You wouldn't say that if Ellen offered to hug you."

"How do you know? Anyway, I mean precisely—"

He stopped short and pointed at the spots on her big apron where she had knelt in the dainty suit. "You've been working hard."

"The early bird has been catching the worm. . . . Those nasty worms!" she complained. "I catch them and give them to Teddy Jones for his fishing. Poor things! It's too bad they have to be such a nuisance. Come and see the roses."

To avoid bruising the flowers that drooped or thrust out over the path on either side he had to walk behind her. She danced ahead of him, rapturously calling his attention to her especial favorites among the blossoms. He agreed with all her praises, evidently willing to accept her judgment, since he never shifted his gaze away from her dainty head and graceful, girlish form. She had on a crisp gingham dress, and her abundant hair hung down her straight little back in a thick braid. There was excuse for even a brother to consider her adorable, particularly a brother who could not realize that she was his sister.

She glanced about and caught his rapt expression. "Oh, Will, what is it?" she asked. "You look so—so—as if you've been moonstruck."

"I am trying to compose a poem," he said. "How is this?"

"The Princess of Posies, Amidst her bright roses, Alas! me suppose Her brother to be—"

"No wonder you look daft, if that is the way you feel," she remarked. "Maybe so much beauty on an empty stomach has upset you."

"It is not the lack of breakfast," he asserted.

"Well, then—Oh! there's Ellen coming out of the pergola."

He colored and looked toward Ellen, who was eagerly approaching. As he caught her gaze his flush deepened.

"We're waiting for you, dear," said Amy.

"Really?" breathlessly murmured Ellen.

Amy tugged at Clinton's arm. "Don't be a dummy. Speak to her."

He bowed hastily to the other girl in a futile attempt to avoid her tender gaze. "Pardon me, Miss Kirkland."

"Miss Kirkland"—the idea!—annihilated Amy, and she sang meaningly:

"The maiden's standing by, sir, 'Tis yours to do or die, sir."

"Amy!" murmured the stately Miss Kirkland, her cheeks scarlet with blissful shame.

"My lord, your fiancée waits," announced the little tense.

Clinton drew back, stiff with embarrassment. "Miss—Lowrie," he replied, "you and Miss Kirkland alike forget that I am not—"

"Please, please, Will!" broke in Ellen. "Do not say that—do not!"

"He only means not himself," suggested Amy. She smiled at the young man hopefully. "Perhaps you might remember, if you made believe. Don't mind me. I'll turn my back."

The young man gave over the unequal contest. "Have it your own way, if you must; only please remember, and spare me when Doctor Kirkland receives the apocryphal telegram with regard to Mr. Lowrie."

"When you know and must believe that you are you!" sighed Ellen.

"But we won't starve you while you wait," added Amy. "Come in to break fast. I smell bacon!"

Breakfast at Amy Lowrie's usual hour was far too early for Mrs. Kirkland. Clinton remained at the mercy of the young ladies. But he was quite submissive. He drank his cup of near-coffee without protest, and even went so far as to ask the dainty server for a second cup. In return the girls limited their demonstrations of affection to tender glances.

After the meal he at once excused himself on the plea of letter writing and withdrew to his room. He did not come out until midmorning, when, as had been agreed, Doctor Kirkland called to take him down to the bank.

"Good morning, sir," he returned the physician's cordial greeting. "May I ask if you have telegraphed for news of Mr. Lowrie?"

"The message was sent last night," "Then you will probably receive the reply this morning?"

"Not nearly so soon—no. We shall hear not later than this evening, however."

Clinton looked gravely at Amy. "In that event please do not expect me for lunch. I shall wait until the telegram comes and you know I am not your brother. After that, if I may have the privilege—"

"What if the telegram is delayed until tomorrow?" she objected. "You promised to stay. You must come home for dinner at least, else we shall be frightened."

"Very well."

He bowed, and before Ellen or her mother could speak he was out of the room.

A drive of a few minutes brought the car down to that solid and conservative bank, the Fourth National of Denver. As Clinton followed Doctor Kirkland in through the screen door an outthrusting business man paused to clap him on the shoulder and tell him he had come home looking fine and fit. Clinton nodded and passed on into the bank.

The big hawk-eyed guard, who was wandering about through the crowd, glanced at him and bowed. Again he nodded. On all sides men were recognizing him by smiles and nods. Some would have detained him with words of welcome and inquiries as to his long holiday. Doctor Kirkland saved him from the embarrassment of coherent answers by leading him briskly across to the desk of the cashier.

Benm, as fastidiously dressed as ever, was sitting within the enclosure. At sight of Clinton he sprang to open the gate, with a cordial: "Ah, here you are! Come right in. You, too, Doctor Kirkland."

"Must go back to my office," replied the physician. "Can stop only to endorse Mr. Clinton's draft if that is necessary."

"Not at all," said Benm. "I've explained Mr. Clinton's odd resemblance to Mr. Lowrie. The draft will be cashed all right."

Clinton drew out his draft and endorsed it under the sharp gaze of the cashier without the slightest trace of hesitancy.

The cashier glanced at the ticket, handed it back to him, and turned to another customer. "The money will be sent in to you," he said in a brusque tone.

"That clinches it. He certainly is Will Lowrie."

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LAUGHS AT ANCIENT SAYING

Here is One Retired Business Man Who Is Not Afraid of "Rusting Out."

The world seems to be full of cheerful oldsters. Hear this: "They tell us," he says, "that if a man quits work he soon rusts out; but I don't find that to be true. I haven't done a stroke of work in four years, but I don't feel a bit rusty yet, not a bit."

"They tell us also that 'they never come back,' and I think that may be true; really I am inclined to doubt whether I could now, at seventy-five, take up my work where I laid it down, when I was seventy or thereabouts; but I don't want to take it up."

"I don't think anybody is 'entitled' to anything unless he works for it; but I think I have earned a rest. I worked hard for fifty years; in that time I did about one hundred years' work. So, as I figure it, there is still rightfully due me about 45 years of leisure."

"In other words, I should have to live to be about one hundred and twenty before that alleged rust law would properly apply to me; and I hope I shall live at least that long and all the time as free from rust, as comfortable and happy, as I am at the present moment."

Seeing With the Soul.

What you see with your soul helps determine what you are. The mind cannot contemplate visions without reactions. The deeper the vision the more potent the reacting influence. Only surface men, men of the non-thinking type, go through life without moments of sober sitting at the shrine of conscience and there weighing the problems of life. When man sees his power and appreciates that every unused ventricle detracts in multiples he seeks to turn it to account. And it blesses in proportion to the enthusiasm with which it is advanced. The good we do returns with greater power when it is done without thought of reward. We are in the world to make the most of it. We must see the soul if we are to gather the full reward of our possibilities. This is every man's right.—Grit.

Giant Snail of Africa.
A valuable addition made recently to one of London's foremost zoos was a collection of giant snails, many of them measuring as much as eight inches. These snails came from East Africa, and had they remained longer they probably would have been eaten by the natives. Both the snail and its eggs are considered delicacies in that far-off land. The egg so large it is often mistaken for a pigeon's egg.

DAIRY POINTS

RETAIN PUREBRED BULL CALF

Good Dairyman Knows Value of Young Animal in Way of Improving Grade Herd.

Nature has her own percentage rules which are as infallible, in the long run, as the dealer's margin at a Monte Carlo gambling resort. According to this inflexible law of averages, there are about as many bull calves born each year as there are heifer calves.

Every good dairyman knows the value of a purebred sire of good record, and what such an animal may accomplish in the way of improving a grade or scrub herd. Despite their acknowledged value, it appears that 75,000 purebred bull calves of dairy breeds were killed for veal or were fattened for beef in 1918.

A chart has been prepared by the dairy division, United States department of agriculture, which furnishes a graphic illustration of what happened to the purebred bull calves in 1918.

The line representing purebred Holstein-Friesian cows registered in 1918



Farmers Are Urged to Conserve Their Purebred Bull Calves Wherever Practical Instead of Butchering Them.

runs out to \$0,000. The line for the bulls of this breed registered during the same year extends only to 30,000. The difference, 50,000, represents the approximate number of bull calves not registered. Presumably most of them were either vealed or fattened as steers.

The Jersey breed in 1918 registered 30,000 cows and about 12,000 bulls—a loss of 18,000 purebred sires, many of which might be more profitably employed in the work of improving scrub herds.

Guernsey and Ayrshire totals are less, but the percentage of loss is heavy there also.

In the face of this waste it is estimated that five grades or scrub bulls are in use for every purebred bull. According to experts of the United States department of agriculture the replacement of scrub and grade bulls with good purebreds would quickly and materially raise the average production of dairy herds. One of the reasons for the surprising situation outlined is probably an underdeveloped system of distribution.

THUNDERSTORMS SOUR MILK

Theory Held by Many People, but Authorities Attribute Trouble to Other Causes.

The season for thunderstorms is at hand and a good many farmers' wives will be concerned about the souring of the milk. The theory is held by a good many that thunder will sour the milk, but authorities say the souring should be attributed to other causes. They say that the souring is caused normally by the acidity which results from bacterial growth and sterilized milk will not sour during a thunderstorm. Neither will milk that is kept on ice. The probable explanation lies in the fact that during the storms of this kind the temperature is raised sufficiently to favor the multiplication of the milk-souring bacteria where the temperature is not regulated by the use of ice.

BENEFITS OF SILAGE ACIDS

Fermentation of Feed Has an Important Dietetic Value—Keeps Bowels Regulated.

The acidity of silage caused largely by the formation of lactic acid by the fermentation of the feed has an important dietetic value, regulating the bowels and checking undesirable putrefactive processes in the intestines. The favorable influence of silage on the health of animals has been commonly noted, and is probably due to the silage acids.

DAIRY NOTES

Wash the separator thoroughly after each separating.

A normal calf should have all the good roughage it will eat.

Roughage to the calf gives bulk to the feed and satisfies the normal appetite.

Neatness in your own appearance and that of your barn never impresses your visitors unfavorably.

People of the dairy countries in Europe always feed some straw in the ration and they get good results.

Animals know when feeding time arrives and irregularity in this respect will result in a decreased milk flow.

Salt is necessary and the animals should have access to it at all times. A box containing the salt may be securely fastened in one corner of the pasture or yard.

To wash milk utensils, use first, cold water for rinsing; second, warm water containing a small quantity of soda washing powder for cleansing; and hot boiling water for sterilizing.

CITY IS LIABLE FOR M. O. BONDS

J. C. THOMSON, EXPERT, HOLDS ISSUE BINDING OBLIGATION OF DETROIT.

AMOUNT ISSUED IS \$15,000,000

Opinion, Withheld, Recalls Pre-Election Promise of Mayor to Taxpayers.

Detroit.—All of the \$15,000,000 street railway bonds, when sold, will constitute a valid and binding obligation of the city of Detroit, according to an opinion given by John C. Thomson, New York attorney and municipal bond expert. In this connection he will be recalled that previous to the municipal street railway election Mayor Couzens announced that the city would not impose any additional burden on the tax payers, who are liable for the debts of the city.

Held Binding Obligations.
Following the passage of the bond issue by the people the city engaged Mr. Thomson to "examine into the validity and regularity of the proceedings to authorize \$15,000,000 public utility bonds of the city of Detroit."

His opinion is that the "bonds will constitute valid and binding obligations of the city of Detroit," and also that the proceedings will be regular and complete when the bonds have been sold "for the price of not less than par and accrued interest to the date of delivery."

Attorney Thomson's Opinion.

"At the request of the city of Detroit, Mich., I have examined into the validity and regularity of the proceedings to authorize \$15,000,000 public utility bonds of the city of Detroit, Mich., to be issued for the purpose of acquiring and owning a street railway system. I have examined certified copies of the proceedings of the common council and the officers of the city of Detroit for the submission of the question of acquiring, owning and operating said street railway system and issuing the said bonds, including all proceedings down to and including the canvass and certification of the vote at the election on said question on April 5, 1920. I have also examined the constitution and statutes of the state of Michigan and the charter of the city of Detroit.

"It is my opinion that the said proceedings have been regularly taken and that they show good authority for the issuance of public utility bonds of the city of Detroit to the amount of \$15,000,000, and that when said bonds have been finally authorized, offered and sold, in proper form, and for the price of not less than par and accrued interest to date of delivery and have been signed and executed in conformity with the charter of the city and the statutes of Michigan, said bonds will constitute valid and binding obligations of the city of Detroit, Mich.

EVERYBODY GETS THEIR SHARE

Canadian Car Marked "Shingles Contained Rum."

A box car ostensibly carrying shingles rolled into the Essex Terminal Railroad yards early last Saturday. Evidently some persons knew the car was coming for they were ready to relieve it of its load. They opened the car and carried away as much as they could until daybreak.

Men on their way to work investigated and found the shingles to be Old Crow whisky. They went right home with all they could carry. Their wives returned with them and helped to carry bottles in their aprons. Express carts and the children were pressed into service until the surrounding district was well supplied.

The car was bonded for 500 cases. What the bootleggers got who first opened the car can not be determined. When the neighbors got through there were 117 cases left.

MOB HANGS WIFE MURDERER

16 ← AUGUST → 16

I HAVE SET AUGUST 16th FOR MY CLOSING DAY. MOTHERS AND FATHERS WISHING GOODS FOR THEIR CHILDREN FOR SCHOOL WEAR THIS IS YOUR GRAND OPPORTUNITY. IN CASE WHERE YOU ARE FORTUNATE TO FIT THEM IN THIS STOCK.

1 Lot of Children's and Misses' fleeced Underwear, size 6 to 14 yrs., for.....93c	Hundreds of Ladies' Lace and Button Shoes, to be sold Saturday at.....\$2.48	1 Overcoat, worth \$25 for.....\$14.85
Misses Night Dresses, worth \$1.35 for.....95c	Few Children's Gingham Dresses.....\$1.98	Few Mackinaws. Come and get the Mackinaws, the price will suit you.
Short Hose for Children, fancy colored and plain for.....25c	Few Ladies Wool Zephyr Sweaters.....\$2.98	My entire lot of striped Overalls at.....\$1.98
Women's fine Mercerized Hose, brown.....69c	Silk Petticoats, Jersey tops, worth \$9.50 for.....\$7.45	Some Men's Hats and Winter Caps at prices that will astound you. Must sell them.
Children's Light Rompers at.....88c	Men's Fleeced Underwear, \$2.75 for.....\$1.88	Men's Flannel Shirts.....\$2.98
Outing and Chambray.....45c	Men's Wool Union Suits, \$5-\$6 at.....\$3.99	Men's Woolen Socks.....48c and 69c
4 Ladies' Plush Coats, black, good sizes, worth \$30 for.....\$18.85	Men's Undershirts, fleeced, \$1.25 for.....89c	Men's Tennis Shoes.....99c
Few Cloth Coats for.....\$12.85	Men's Outing Pajamas, \$2.50 for.....\$1.69	A few Men's Heavy Wool Pants. Get my low prices.
Four Ladies Summer Coats, short length worth \$16 and \$18 for.....8.85	Men's Sweaters.....\$1.25	One Bedstead, Spring and Mattress, two Show Cases, one Spool Case, four Chairs, two Settees, one Buffet.
	Men's Shirts, no collar, \$1.25 values for.....69c	
	Light color only; Pongee's; Large sizes.	

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GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JULY 29.

ELDORADO NUGGETS.
Norton Williams left Saturday for a week or ten days' visit with friends at Pontiac and Flint.
Mrs. George Jones and little daughter of Sandusky arrived Saturday for a visit at the home of Mrs. Jones'

parents, Mr. and Mrs. Joseph Weber. They were accompanied by Miss Elizabeth Weber, who has been spending the past few months with her sister.
Mr. and Mrs. Pearl Goff and children of Riga, and Mrs. Earl VanNatter of Alpena, have been guests at the Knight home for the past week.
Mr. and Mrs. George Basing of Flint, and Mrs. Arthur Diamond of South Bend, Ind., arrived Sunday for a visit with the ladies' mother, Mrs. J. H. Hartman.
L. J. Miller returned to his home at Sandusky Saturday after spending the week with his mother, Mrs. Hubbard Head. He was accompanied by his grandson, Luman Legg of Pontiac.
Mrs. Hugh Emery and son, Donald of Roscommon and daughter, Mrs. Harry Glanton, and little Katherine of Galesburg, were guests of Mrs. N.

A. Fry, Sunday.
William Williams of Grayling was a visitor at the home of his brother, James, Monday.
Herman Ott of Chicago is visiting at the Joseph Wagner home for a few days.
The Funsch family spent Sunday at the Hagaman home, near Luzerne.
Joe Wagner, Jr., whose arm was broken last week by falling from a horse, is getting along nicely.
Mrs. Morton Kline and daughters, Helen and Elizabeth of Louisville, Ky., arrived Tuesday to spend the remainder of the summer at the home of Mrs. Kline's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Crane.
FREDERIC BREEZES.
Mrs. L. A. Gardner's sister, Miss Mary O'Brien of Orchard Lake, who has been with Mrs. Gardner for the

past few weeks, returned to her home last Monday.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McCracken drove to Traverse City last Monday and brought back some nice cherries.
Mrs. William Terhune has gone to Sandusky to visit her daughter, Mrs. Will Roe, and while there will attend a Free Methodist camp meeting.
A party from Frederic drove thru Maple Forest last Sabbath and report the farmers' crop to be looking grand. Oats are about three feet high and well filled.
James Pratt is laid up with a broken leg. He was kicked by a horse one day last week.
Mr. and Mrs. Ed. McCracken are enjoying a visit from their daughter Mrs. Susie Rowe and baby of Bay City.
Elton Barber was up from Auburn to eat his Sunday dinner with his

parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. S. Barber. Likes to come home, but oh, it's so quiet, not much like Bay City.
Oscar Charron has a new Overland auto.
Mr. Hall, our banker is driving a new Dodge car.
Mrs. Mae Taylor has been called to Petoskey on duty.
Robt. Nichols of Detroit, and Mr. and Mrs. S. G. Nichols of Gaylord visited over Sunday with their niece Mrs. C. S. Barber. Mrs. Maggie Niver of Santa Ana, Calif., returned with them to Gaylord. They will motor to Alpena Monday.
Crops are sure looking fine.

GOITRE.

Removed For This Battle Creek Lady by External Home Remedy.

Note: It would be illegal to publish these statements if they were not true.

This article was copied from the Battle Creek Enquirer & News: "Mrs. J. P. McIlroy, 37 W. Goguas St., this city, says: 'I had external and internal goitre for 13 years. It had become so bad that I couldn't lie down I had to sit up at night. I could get no relief of the awful choking. Sorbol Quadruple reduced my neck one inch the first week and I began feeling better right away and am now completely cured. Will gladly tell my experience even by letter.'"

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Get further information at Lewis' Drug Store, drug stores everywhere or write Sorbol Company, Mechanicsburg, O.—Adv.

WANTS

Advertisements will be accepted under this heading at the rate of 5 cents per line. No adv. taken for less than 25 cts. There are about six words to the line.

SEND MONEY WITH ORDER.

FOR SALE—FIVE LOTS ON LAKE Margrethe, formerly Portage Lake, two on lake front and three directly back of them. In one of best locations on East side of lake—ideal site. Will sell in part or in whole. This is almost the last chance to obtain lake-front lots and good cottage building locations. Inquire Avalanche office, Grayling, Mich.

LOST—A CHILD'S POCKET BOOK Tuesday between town and F. Deckrow's place. It contained \$10 in currency. Finder please notify Avalanche office.

A FORD RUNABOUT OR TOURING car for sale. Inquire of Thomas Cassidy. 7-29-3.

STRAYED, FROM DICK SEWALL place, a young sow, weight 100 lbs. Please notify C. J. Purcell, Grayling, Mich.

FOR SALE—HOUSE AND LOT, near school house; good garage. Address C. J. Hathaway, Boston Store Bldg., Pontiac, Mich. tf.

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24½ pounds Hoo Hoo Flour.....	\$1.75
Puffed Wheat, 2 packages.....	25c
Granulated Sugar, per pound.....	27½c
45c Apple Butter.....	38c
25c Canned Pig Feet.....	18c
30c Can Asparagus.....	22c
25c Rose Brand Milk, per can.....	19c
Tall Can VanCamp Milk.....	15c
Large Package Oatmeal.....	33c
Lifebuoy Soap, per bar.....	10c
9c Classic White Laundry Soap, per bar.....	7c
Aunt Jemima Pancake Flour, 2 for.....	25c
Navy Beans, per pound.....	9c
Whole Rice, per pound.....	16c
Shelled Pop Corn, per package.....	6c
24½ pounds Rye Graham Flour.....	\$1.45
10 pound Sacks Graham Flour.....	60c
Brown Sugar, per pound.....	26½c

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Gear where they could reach him in a few minutes. Wounds and sores must be taken care of immediately. Get a can of Dr. LeGear's Antiseptic Healing Powder from your dealer. Dust on enough of it to cover the wound or sore. It forms a protection against insects and infection and promotes healthy healing.—Dr. L. D. LeGear Med. Co. St. Louis, Mo. Adv.

TO TEACHERS OF CRAWFORD COUNTY.

All teachers or prospective teachers who are planning on taking rural positions in this county would do a special favor by writing me in regard to the same.

M. E. Hoyt, Comm'r.

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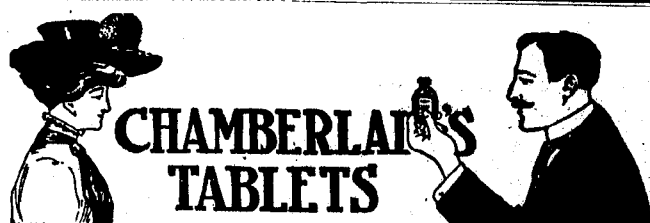
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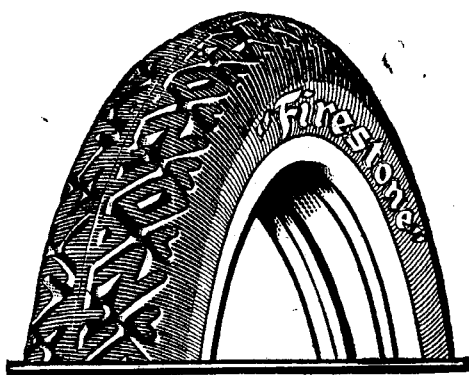
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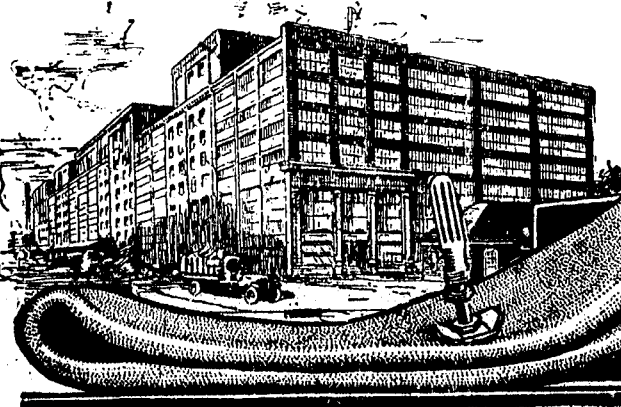
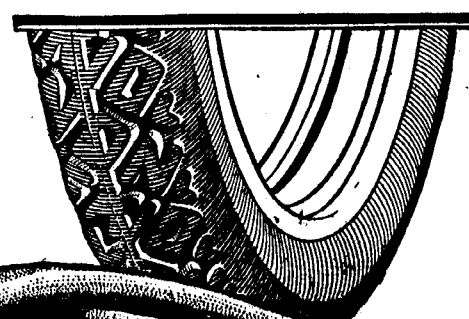
Firestone

Sales of this tire have increased 96% the first six months of this year, proving the balanced tire, the Firestone 3½ has accomplished what Firestone sought for it, more mileage, greater economy, greater comfort, which has been passed on to the public at low cost—most miles per dollar.

Balanced! That means to you more than mere thickness of tread, greater air capacity, more plies of fabric, greater cushioning, or the gauge of the sidewall. It means that all component parts of the Firestone 3½ are scientifically balanced by specialists who have put years of study and practice into a single purpose—to meet your demand in a small car tire. You can now have all four tires on your car give uniform service if they are Firestone.



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LOCAL NEWS

GRAYLING, THURSDAY, JULY 29.

Rasmus Hanson was in Detroit the fore part of the week on business.

Jack, the little son of Mr. and Mrs. John Zeder is ill at their home with typhoid fever.

Miss Gladys Everett of Detroit is here visiting her mother, Mrs. Rhoda Everett and friends.

Jesse Penn and wife this week purchased the home in which they are living on the South side.

Miss Ingeborg Hanson returned Saturday from a two weeks' vacation spent in Saginaw with friends.

Full line of Conklin Fountain pens just arrived at the Gift Shop. See this fine well-known line before purchasing.

Miss M. Eva Barber of Stanton, Mich., arrived Wednesday to visit Mrs. William Bromwell at the home of Adolph Peterson.

Mrs. John Oliver of Bay City is visiting Mr. and Mrs. John Holliday and the latter's mother, Mrs. Prudence Marshall.

Do not forget the services at the Michelson Memorial Church next Sunday at ten-thirty. Sunday School at nine forty-five.

Miss Florence Butler of Detroit spent a few days here last week visiting her grand parents, Mr. and Mrs. Adelbert Taylor.

Mr. Charles Sullivan and daughter, Miss Marcella left today for Toronto, Canada and other Canadian points, and expect to be gone several weeks.

Mr. and Mrs. John Holliday have had as their guests the past week, Mr. and Mrs. Harlan Hagen of Saginaw, who motored here Wednesday of last week.

"Babe" Laurent of the Michigan Ontario league visited with his parents and friends in Grayling last Friday and Saturday, leaving Saturday night to join his team at Hamilton, Ontario.

"Hey, boy, where's your brother?" "In the barn, shooin' horses."

"Where's your mother?" "In the back yard shooin' chickens."

"Where's your father?" "In the hammock, shooin' flies."

Bring your watches, clocks and jewelry to the Gift Shop for repairs.

Miss Florence Stephan left Tuesday to visit relatives at Alba, Mich.

Mr. and Mrs. M. Brenner, son Jerald and daughter, Anabelle, spent Sunday taking in the sights at Mackinac Island.

Dan Hoelsi has purchased a Ford truck to use in his business as agent for the Standard Oil company in Crawford county.

Do not wait until Sunday morning to make up your mind to go to church. Preaching at the Michelson Memorial Church at ten-thirty.

A large number of the ladies of the W. B. A. O. T. M. enjoyed the weinerwurst roast at McIntyre's landing last Thursday evening. Their husbands were invited to the affair also.

Miss Dora Sauve and brother Roland, who spent a few days with friends here returned to their home in Bay City Sunday, accompanied by Alfred Bebb who drove them through in his auto.

Mr. E. J. Richards and son of Dayton, Ohio, arrived at their summer home at Lake Margrethe the latter part of the week to spend the remainder of the summer. Mr. Richards will join them later.

Mr. and Mrs. Adolph C. Peterson are happy over the arrival on July 24th of a baby girl at their home. She weighs 7½ pounds and has been named Jerinne Avis.

The Otsego county Herald and Times in reporting the base ball game played with Grayling Sunday, July 18th, are boasting of the fact that being the first time they had defeated Grayling in base ball in fifteen years.

Howard Ayotte is home from Bay City visiting his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Eugene Ayotte. He was accompanied by Messrs Robert, Edward and C. E. Ayotte of Bay City who are spending the week here at the Ayotte home.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Gates and little son left Tuesday morning for Boyne City and East Jordan to visit relatives for a few weeks. They also expect to visit Petoskey and Charlevoix while away. They are making the trip in their auto.

Mrs. Esbern Hanson and son Junior went to Detroit Wednesday to meet the former's mother, Mrs. Matilda Schaeffer and daughter Miss Beatrice Schaeffer of Pittsburgh, who will return with them and spend some time at the Hanson cottage at Lake Margrethe.

Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Green and son Gordon left Tuesday afternoon on a pleasure trip to the western states. They expect to first visit Denver, Colorado, and Salt Lake City, Utah, and later go to Portland, Ore., where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Madsen, former residents of Grayling. The Madsen family moved to Oregon about three years ago. The Greens expect to return in a couple of months. This is their second trip to the west.

Fortin of Chicago was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday of this week and while here decided to sell his lots on Lake Margrethe. There are five of them, located between the William Powell and Emil Kraus cottages. They are ideal lots for cottages. Two of them are on the lake front and three immediately in the rear. This is almost the last chance to get lake-front lots in the resort section of the lake and are very desirable. The prices are reasonable.

Before returning Mr. Fortin left full particulars with the Avalanche office where inquiries may be made by anyone interested.

Mrs. Martin Johnston and daughter Mrs. M. E. Phillips of Los Angeles, Calif., were guests over Sunday of Mrs. Johnston's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ella McIntyre. The ladies motored here alone from California arriving last Friday. They took the Santa Fe trail and were on the road three weeks, the younger lady driving the machine. They came by way of Arizona and camped for two nights on a desert enroute.

Mrs. Johnston who is 70 years old, is a pioneer settler of Crawford county, living on a homestead in Pere Cheney previous to 30 years ago when they left Grayling for the West. They left Tuesday for Leslie to visit other relatives and will start on their return journey home, August 8th.

John M. Perry of Tustin, republican candidate for the office of State senator from this district, was in the city a couple of days this week getting acquainted with the voters and looking after his political interests generally.

Mr. Perry was a candidate for the same office four years ago and was beaten in the primary campaign by Duncan McRae by a very small plurality. Two years ago he decided that Mr. McRae was entitled to the customary second term and therefore did not become a candidate.

This year, however, Mr. Perry is out of the race and Mr. Perry is hopeful of election. He served several terms in the state legislature and is amply qualified for senator.

I lose, but you gain at my sale that will be held from now until the 16th of August by which time I must be closed out. I will make a final slaughter on prices. Frank Dreese.

Guy Pringle is taking a two weeks' vacation from his duties in the M. O. Trainmaster's office.

At the Gift Shop for fine line of fancy box papers—Juvenile, Misses and for the Madams.

Mrs. Archie Arnold of Gaylord is spending a few days in Grayling, visiting her mother, Mrs. W. E. Russell and baby of Bay City are visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Schreck.

Mrs. W. J. Miller and children are spending a few days in Gaylord, the guests of Miss Marguerite Hoyt.

Raymond Levine and sister Miss Bernice Levine of the Soo are guests of Lipman Landsberg this week.

Frank Barnes and family, who went to Harbor Springs a short time ago have returned to Grayling to make their home.

Mrs. Marion Murphy and little son Ransom returned from Detroit Tuesday morning after an extended visit with relatives.

Dr. and Mrs. C. F. Underhill returned Wednesday to Lovell, after a several weeks' visit in Buffalo, N. Y., and other eastern cities.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam F. Gierke are spending a few days in Monroe, the guests of their daughter, Mrs. Einer Rasmussen and husband.

Mr. Lee Boer and family have returned to Apellanti after spending several weeks with the former's parents, Mr. and Mrs. James Boer.

Chris Olson, of the Salling Hanson Co. office is enjoying a motor trip through the southern part of the state during his two weeks' vacation.

Mrs. Jerry Sherman and daughter Helen left for Sturgeon Bay, Canada, last Saturday on account of the death of the former's grandfather.

Mr. and Mrs. Louis Heribson had as their guests this week, Mr. and Mrs. Brant Heribson of Chicago, who returned to their home last night. The two gentlemen are brothers.

Miss Elsie Erickson, who is training for a nurse at Butterworth hospital in Grand Rapids, is here visiting at the home of her aunt, Mrs. James Sorenson.

Miss Olga Nelson was hostess to a number of her girl friends yesterday afternoon in honor of her birthday anniversary. The young ladies had a merry time.

Mrs. Macaulay and Mrs. Louis Fox of Standish were guests over Sunday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Angus Macaulay. The former lady is the mother of Mr. Macaulay.

Mrs. Peter F. Jorgenson and sons Leo and Einer returned Friday afternoon from their auto trip to Neenah, Wis., to visit relatives. They were gone for a couple of weeks.

Miss Mollie Johnson of Saginaw is the guest of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles P. Johnson, and expects to remain for a number of weeks.

She arrived Tuesday afternoon. Rev. C. E. Doty and family will leave Tuesday for Bay View for a ten-day vacation and to attend the Bay View lectures and entertainments. They will go there by auto.

Mr. and Mrs. William Pobur and children, and Mr. and Mrs. Schultz and children of Detroit, and the James Olson family of Oxford are enjoying an outing at Lake Margrethe, guests of Mr. and Mrs. Hans Petersen.

Last Clearance Sale on all hats, excepting Taffetas, for one week only beginning today, Thursday, July 29th and continuing to Thursday, August 5th. Prices ranging from \$2.00 to \$5.00 at The Hat Shop.

Mr. and Mrs. Emil Kraus and three children left Monday for Hurley, Wisconsin, to visit Mrs. Kraus' mother Mrs. Lennon and other relatives.

Mr. Kraus will return in a short time, leaving his wife and children for a longer visit.

Herman Hanson, of the Boy Scouts, who showed their courtesy by offering their services at the military reservation while the officers were in camp, had the misfortune to cut his left hand quite badly Monday.

He was cutting some paper with a large well sharpened knife, when it slipped cutting his hand.

Mr. and Mrs. Will E. Green and son Gordon left Tuesday afternoon on a pleasure trip to the western states. They expect to first visit Denver, Colorado, and Salt Lake City, Utah, and later go to Portland, Ore., where they will be the guests of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Madsen, former residents of Grayling. The Madsen family moved to Oregon about three years ago. The Greens expect to return in a couple of months. This is their second trip to the west.

Fortin of Chicago was in the city Tuesday and Wednesday of this week and while here decided to sell his lots on Lake Margrethe. There are five of them, located between the William Powell and Emil Kraus cottages. They are ideal lots for cottages. Two of them are on the lake front and three immediately in the rear. This is almost the last chance to get lake-front lots in the resort section of the lake and are very desirable. The prices are reasonable.

Before returning Mr. Fortin left full particulars with the Avalanche office where inquiries may be made by anyone interested.

Mrs. Martin Johnston and daughter Mrs. M. E. Phillips of Los Angeles, Calif., were guests over Sunday of Mrs. Johnston's sister-in-law, Mrs. Ella McIntyre. The ladies motored here alone from California arriving last Friday. They took the Santa Fe trail and were on the road three weeks, the younger lady driving the machine. They came by way of Arizona and camped for two nights on a desert enroute.

Mrs. Johnston who is 70 years old, is a pioneer settler of Crawford county, living on a homestead in Pere Cheney previous to 30 years ago when they left Grayling for the West. They left Tuesday for Leslie to visit other relatives and will start on their return journey home, August 8th.

John M. Perry of Tustin, republican candidate for the office of State senator from this district, was in the city a couple of days this week getting acquainted with the voters and looking after his political interests generally.

Mr. Perry was a candidate for the same office four years ago and was beaten in the primary campaign by Duncan McRae by a very small plurality. Two years ago he decided that Mr. McRae was entitled to the customary second term and therefore did not become a candidate.

This year, however, Mr. Perry is out of the race and Mr. Perry is hopeful of election. He served several terms in the state legislature and is amply qualified for senator.

I lose, but you gain at my sale that will be held from now until the 16th of August by which time I must be closed out. I will make a final slaughter on prices. Frank Dreese.

Mack Gimmell, is the new barber at the Walter Cowell barber shop.

Miss Pansy Looey of Manistee was a guest of Miss Anna Peterson Tuesday.

Wilma Burrows, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Arnold Burrows is ill with an attack of typhoid fever.

Miss Iva Rosevear of Saginaw is spending a vacation here the guest of her sister, Mrs. E. S. Houghton.

Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Ketzbeck are in Kalkaska for a couple of weeks, the former doing some cement work there.

Mrs. Emma Salt of Traverse City, district deputy of the W. B. A. O. T. M. is in Grayling on business for several days.

The tax roll for the Village of Grayling is now in the hands of the Village treasurer at the Bank of Grayling ready to receive taxes. If my store will be open 7:30 o'clock evenings during the time of my big sale, to accommodate those who cannot get here during the day.

Chief DuClos wants the Avalanche to warn people to look out for the fire department whenever there is an alarm of fire. Autos must get out of the way to avoid accidents.

The last day for filing petitions for primary election will be next Saturday, July 31. If you want to be a candidate better get busy. Look for list of candidates in our next issue.

Peter Johnson, who is employed in plant visited his parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. Peter Johnson of Frederic a few days last week leaving Saturday night with Harry Reynolds of this place for the Copper country.

Miss A. Ingeborg Hanson entertained Miss Meta Baker of Marine City a couple of days this week. Miss Meta is the daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Baker, who were formerly residents of this place.

Mrs. Clarissa Dufour of Bay City, and Mrs. Ralph Bilhimer and son Ralph, Jr., of Cleveland, Ohio, are guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. M. Hewitt. Mrs. Bilhimer will be remembered by Grayling friends as Miss Rose Dufour.

The condition of Floyd Bromwell who was seriously injured Monday morning of last week, when he was run over by a speeder on the M. & N. E. railroad, remains about the same.

He has been in a precarious condition for the past several days. Mrs. Miller Rose of Bay City came to Grayling last week Friday and spent a few days with her husband, who is at present assisting the local DuPont plant. Mrs. Rose returned home Monday feeling that the people of this town are most cordial and hospitable.

Mr. and Mrs. E. S. Houghton entertained Lieut. Edward A. Burns of Detroit at luncheon at their home Sunday. Lieut. Burns, who formerly used to come to Grayling with the old national guard, was here to attend the meeting of the officers held at the military reservation the latter part of the week.

Mr. and Mrs. Gerald Powell and little son Geddie of Detroit are guests of the former's mother Mrs. William Powell at their cottage at Lake Margrethe. Mrs. Powell and baby came last week, while Mr. Powell motored from Detroit Saturday.

He was accompanied by Mr. Ray Foster, a brother of Mrs. Gerald Powell.

This issue of the Avalanche contains a complete report of the Grayling schools for the past year. This should be of particular interest to the patrons of the schools. It shows how the money was raised for running the schools and also where and how it was spent. The report was compiled by Secretary M. A. Bates.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Robidue, and Mr. Leonard Robidue of Detroit arrived in Grayling Wednesday to visit Mrs. Robidue's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Sorenson. Miss Nina Sorenson, who has been spending a month visiting her sister in Detroit returned home with them. Mrs. Robidue was formerly Miss Bertha Sorenson.

Mr. and Mrs. Paul E. Gardner have moved their household goods from their home on the lake to the residence formerly occupied by E. W. Behlke. The Behlke family now moved into the home they purchased from M. Otterbein some time ago. Mr. and Mrs. Gardner have as their guest the former's mother, also of Jackson.

Mrs. Mary Cross and two sons, Arthur and Harold of Milwaukee, Wisconsin, are here guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Herman Doroh. Mrs. Cross' parents are Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mantz of Milwaukee, who were formerly residents of Grayling. They were also residents of Grayling, leaving here about seven years ago.

The G. A. R. hall was owned by the Marvin Post and Marvin Relief Corps No. 162. The members of the Marvin Post have recently transferred their half interest in the building to the Marvin Relief Corps No. 162, who are now in full ownership of the G. A. R. building and for which the ladies of the W. R. C. thank the G. A. R. for their gift.

An alarm of fire was sounded from District No. 9 Tuesday night about 3:30. It was found to be in the home of George Clise on the South side. One of the Clise children had gone into a bedroom to light a lamp, and left it without replacing the lamp glass. When he returned to the room the flames had caught onto some newspapers on the wall. There was slight damage done.

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SINGING CANARIES WANTED

We want singing canaries. Anyone having them for sale, write to Crawford Avalanche, stating how many you have of each age.

JULY SALE ATTRACTIONS

An important Clearance of Summer Merchandise, which must be closed out.

LADIES' OXFORDS AND PUMPS

Price reductions on all Ladies' Oxfords and Pumps. Our entire line of Black, White and Brown Oxfords and Pumps and white Shoes

20% off

VOILES

Fancy Flowered Voiles in dark patterns at

25% off

MEN'S UNDERWEAR

Men's Genuine B. V. D. and Cooper's Athletic Underwear at \$1.69 a suit.

Men's Cooper's Ribbed Union suits at \$2.00

\$1.50 Ribbed Union Suits at \$1.29

WASH DRESSES

Ladies' and children's wash dresses—Clearance Price

20% off

HATS

All Ladies' Trimmed Hats at

1/2 off

Men's Panamas and Straw Hats at

1/4 off

BATHING SUITS

Men's and Ladies' Bathing Suits at

1/4 off

LADIES' COATS

The balance of our Ladies' Summer Coats at

1/2 off

LADIES' UNDERWEAR

Ladies' Summer Gauze Underwear including Unionsuits, Vests and Pants at

1/4 off

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20% off

Provide your Summer Wants at this Sale.

Grayling Mercantile Co.

The Quality Store.

J. C. Foreman and daughter, Miss Marie of Bay City, joined Mrs. Foreman at their cottage at Lake Margrethe Tuesday to enjoy an outing.

Dr. Housen of Gaylord brot his daughter to Grayling first of the week to have her tonsils removed by one of our local physicians. The operation was performed at Mercy hospital with the usual success and both have returned home.

Mr. Carr of Barry county is in this county at present assisting in the organization of a county farm bureau. He is being assisted by E. S. Chalker, and other officers of the County Farm bureau that was organized here by former County Agent W. F. Johnston. Meetings are being held in various parts of the county. Next week they will conduct a drive for memberships.

Mrs. R. R. Pringle, son Armond and daughters Misses Audrey and Ethel, Mrs. Frank Barnett and two sons, Reginald and Billy, all of Bay City arrived in Grayling during the latter part of the week to spend a couple of weeks resorting at Lake Margrethe. They are occupying the Thomas Cassidy cottage. They are also spending some of the time visiting their son and brother, Guy G. Pringle of this place.

Mrs. Nick Schjotz entertained twenty-nine guests at her home Thursday afternoon of last week in honor of her grandmother, Mrs. Katharine Fischer, who was celebrating her 91st birthday anniversary on that day. The guests included her sons and daughters and their families. Three of her grand children presented her with a birthday cake that was graced with 91 candles, and which was very pretty. Mrs. Fischer has been making her home with Mrs. Schjotz since last fall, and that night after the day's festivities she accompanied her daughter and husband, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Sorenson to Michelson, making the trip by auto, to visit for an indefinite time. Mrs. Fischer is a remarkable personage. Altho at her ripe old age she is active and in excellent health. Her birthdays are very happy occasions for her as each year it means a reunion of her children, grandchildren and great grandchildren.

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L. H. Chamberlin, day yardmaster for the M. C. is enjoying a vacation from his duties. He with Mrs. Chamberlin are spending it with their children and families, who reside in Flint.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cariveau and children of Jackson are here spending the week visiting Mrs. Cariveau's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Charlefour. They expect to return home Friday and at that time will be accompanied by Miss Nellie Charlefour, who is enjoying a couple of weeks' vacation from her duties at the Nick Schjotz grocery.

Mr. and Mrs. Neil Matthews left Saturday afternoon to visit relatives in Rose City, the former home of Mrs. Matthews.

Mrs. Elsie Atherton is at Pine Camp, Higgins Lake for the summer cooking. She left Thursday.

Mr. and Mrs. E. R. Clark, son Vern and daughter Gladys, and Mr. and Mrs. Dolph Sancier visited friends in West Branch, Rose City and St. Helens over Sunday, making the trip by auto.

The neighbors and friends of Mrs. Albert Shellenbarger were grieved to learn of her death last Sunday morning, altho it had been expected for some time. She will be greatly missed by all.

Wish to thank all those who assisted us during the long sickness and death of our dear wife, daughter and sister and sincerely hope all may receive the same help, and sympathy in their hours of bereavement. Especially for the flowers which meant so much to her during her hours of pain; and the many beautiful ones at the last.

Albert Shellenbarger, and mother, Christie Ackerman.

STATE FAIR PREMIUM LISTS.

The Avalanche office has a number of State Fair premium lists for distribution. They are free as long as they last. Additional copies may be had by addressing the Michigan State Fair association, Detroit, Mich.

SUFFERED INTENSE PAIN.

A few years ago when visiting relatives in Michigan something I had eaten brought on an attack of cholera-morbus" writes Mrs. Celesta McVicker, Macon, Mo. "I suffered intense pain and had to go to bed. I got a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic and Diarrhoea Remedy and one dose relieved the pain wonderfully. I only took two or three doses but they did the work. Adv.

Cosmopolitan Cafe

New and Up-To-Date

DINING SERVICE

FOR THE TRAVELING

PUBLIC and the

PEOPLE OF

GRAYLING

SUNDAY DINNERS A

SPECIALTY—75c

Michigan News Tersely Told

Coldwater—Lawrence Chapman, 18 years old, was drowned at the Narrows, while trying to swim across the lake.

Bay City—Albert Walkman, 8, found some pills at his home. After locking himself in the bathroom he ate a number. He is dead.

Grand Rapids—Earle Cristy, 22, received a fracture of the left leg when his motorcycle collided with an automobile at Comstock park.

Grand Rapids—S. T. Richards, of Johannesburg, South Africa furniture manufacturer and dealer was in Grand Rapids to observe local marketing and manufacturing.

Detroit—Helen Setek, 3, of 116 Thaddeus street, backed into a kettle of scalding water, which her mother had placed on the kitchen floor. She died a few hours later.

Grand Rapids—Mrs. Anna Phelan, 60, of Ludington, is in St. Mary's hospital with a fractured leg and other serious injuries as a result of an automobile collision near Sparta.

Potoskey—Authorities are unable to find the mysterious Mrs. Josephine Starks, summer resorter, alleged to have swindled Potoskey and Boyne City merchants out of approximately \$15,000.

Ferndale—Charles Price of Detroit was fined \$50 by Justice Gordon for violation of traffic laws. Reckless driving and disorderly conduct were also charged and he pleaded not guilty, demanding a jury trial.

Grand Rapids—When the hydraulic hoist, used to convey parcel post mail from the basement of the postoffice to the loading platform dropped, Ray F. Bates, truck driver, and Joseph L. McKenna, were severely injured.

Adrian—Lightning struck the residence of F. W. Wickwire, making Mrs. Wickwire unconscious, and of John Tankalala, damaging it; also the barn of Milo Aldrich, burning it, and killed a valuable horse on the farm of M. A. Baker.

Bay City—Because a car of potatoes was delayed 10 days \$355 damages was awarded the C. L. Randall Co. against the Detroit & Mackinac railway. The railway will appeal, on the ground that the shippers signed a waiver of damages.

Detroit—Doris Fletcher, 14, who lives on the Eight Mile road and Van Dyke avenue, was struck by a machine driven by Roy Kobbie, who took the lad to the Samaritan hospital, where he died. Kobbie, held by order of the sheriff, says the boy ran directly in front of his machine.

Grand Haven—Eastman Kodak Co. purchased of N. E. Brown, inventor, an automatic kite camera device. The company manufactured the product during the war. It was used on airplanes, making it possible for an aviator to photograph desired objects without carrying a photographer.

Millford—For the first time in 33 years there has been a change of pastorate in the Millford Presbyterian church, due to the death of the minister, Rev. Alexander A. Wilson, who has served during that time. The new pastor is Rev. L. S. Brooke, who has a long record in the Detroit Presbytery.

Grand Rapids—Owen D. Pickard, 21, of Sparta, who has a wife and child, has been sentenced by Circuit Judge John S. MacDonald to the state reformatory at Ionia for one to five years for larceny. Pickard was released last year from the reformatory after serving 17 months and placed on probation.

Mansiet—Three hundred men were thrown out of work as the result of the destruction by fire of the \$1,000,000 sawmill and salt block of the Buckley & Douglas Lumber Co. The fire invaded the residence section, nearly a dozen dwellings being destroyed. The plant was the largest here, the sawmill a relic of old lumber days, but the salt block was comparatively new.

Bay City—Mrs. John Volker was fatally injured by an automobile driven by her son. The son, warned by a policeman that his lights were out, stopped to fix them. His parents walked on. Unable to get his lights going, the son started on in the darkness. At the first corner he ran into a man and a woman. He did not know until he stopped that they were his parents. Mrs. Volker was 50 years old.

Pontiac—Seeing a little leg sticking out of the water near the end of one of the many boat wharves at Lake Orion, Mrs. Frank Miller, of Ann Arbor, who is spending the summer at the resort, called for help and got the body out of the water. It proved to be that of her little son Bobby, 4, whom she was looking for. He is thought to have walked off the end of the wharf and landed in the soft mud head down.

Ferndale—Frank Price, Ferndale, is being persecuted by Ferndale village officials, he claims. He was arrested on a charge of reckless driving by Village Officer George Hughling at Woodward avenue and Nine-mile road, and for disorderly conduct and driving without a license. The village has retained Ray E. King, as special counsel to prosecute Price. He asked for a change of venue, alleging that Justice Hooley made some remarks about the case which might be considered prejudicial.

Battle Creek—Theodore Berry Hill, a wealthy business man of Tulsa, Oklahoma, wanted to pay a visit to his wife, who is at a local health institution here and make the trip in the shortest possible time, so he bought an airplane and started on the journey. He made the flight, a distance of over 900 miles, in 12 hours and 50 minutes, with one stop, without a mishap. After seeing his wife he decided to fly over Battle Creek and in landing struck a fence, completely demolishing his machine. Berry Hill escaped injury.

Beaumer—Scalded by falling into a tub of hot water, a 2-year-old daughter of Baptiste Guillonotti, is dead.

Adrian—William Pate, farmer, was taken to the Bixby hospital, suffering from a kick by a horse in the abdomen.

Adrian—As 90,000 gallons of oil ordered had not arrived, the commission gave up the play of oiling the city streets.

Grand Rapids—Officers of the United States department of justice arrested five alleged deserters from the army and navy.

Hillsdale—John Borton, 50, was crushed to death by the slipping of the jacks under a barn which he was moving, causing it to fall.

Albion—Three-year-old son of Roy Baker, Albion farmer, received a compound fracture of an arm when he fell from a load of hay.

Owosso—Mrs. W. P. Parriman, church and club worker elected to the board of education, is the first woman to hold public office in Owosso.

Big Rapids—Seven freight cars were destroyed and 12 head of cattle killed when a G. R. & I. freight train was derailed north of Stanwood.

Grand Rapids—Local public school teachers will receive a bonus of \$133 because the primary money to be apportioned is larger than expected.

Saginaw—Raymond E. Thurber, 23, died of injuries received when several heavy beams fell on him at the Bliss and Vanauken lumber yard, fracturing his skull.

Kalamazoo—Arthur McLaughlin tried to crank his automobile while it was in gear. The car plunged forward and McLaughlin was crushed against his garage.

Pontiac—Mrs. J. B. Trember of Commerce was pinned under a car which she was driving and which turned turtle, suffering several severe cuts and bruises.

Port Huron—Mr. and Mrs. Gilbert Beane, 82, celebrated their sixtieth wedding anniversary, when guests from Detroit and other Michigan points were present.

Ferndale—Justice Hooley fined Charles S. Escador \$20 and costs on a charge of drunkenness, and fined Floyd Young \$75 and costs for driving a car while intoxicated.

Ann Arbor—Twenty foreign countries are represented among the 2,200 students enrolled in the University of Michigan summer session. Canada leads, with China in second place.

Adrian—Hayes Bros. of Hillsdale, will construct a stone road from Ogden station to the Blissfield Adrian trunkline, through Palmyra township. It will cost \$71,784.88, and be 4.34 miles long.

Bay City—Timber is being cleared from 16,000 acres owned by the Kneeland-Bigelow Co., of Bay City, in Vienna township, Montmorency county, for the opening of a cattle and sheep ranch.

Hastings—Edward Kingsbury, 40 years old, farmer, was hurled from the wagon in which he was riding and fell under a freight car being pushed ahead of a Michigan Central engine, when the train struck the wagon. Kingsbury's legs were crushed.

Adrian—The Adrian school board has announced a raise in tuition of county students to \$75 for the senior high and junior high and \$50 for all grades under the junior high. The highest rate was \$40. Two hundred and twenty-nine rural students attended Adrian schools last year.

Grand Rapids—Estimated cost of widening Division avenue, one of the business streets of Grand Rapids, is \$765,000, says City Manager Fred H. Locke. Under the plan, 20 feet would be taken from properties on one side of the street. Another plan to widen three streets eastward from the center of the city would cost \$385,000.

Camp Custer—Sergeant Otto Hugh, of the 14th Infantry, died as the result of his pistol duel at Urbandale, with Private Joseph Doyer, 14th Infantry. A charge of manslaughter has been preferred against Doyer. This is regarded as a purely technical proceeding, however, as it is the opinion of the military authorities that both men were acting within the line of duty.

Ludington—Though a playmate made an attempt to rescue him, Saul Homel, 9 years old, was drowned while swimming in Lake Michigan. His companion, Howard McElroy, narrowly escaped the same fate by bringing him ashore. McElroy was forced to strike the drowning lad to free himself. Homel was the son of Maurice Homel, a Detroit, who recently moved here.

Grand Rapids—Merl Rader, 7 years old, who was cruelly beaten by his stepfather, Jacob Nemire, died at the home of Dr. William A. L. Dursum, after more than three months of suffering. From a robust boy he had wasted until he weighed only 24 pounds. An autopsy disclosed that death was due to a tumor on the brain. Nemire now is in jail serving a 90-day sentence following a plea of guilty in justice court to a charge of assault and battery on the boy.

Detroit—Droga Bellistic, who is a steadfast if unwelcome, admirer of Mrs. Stephen Welemitra, cannot take a hint, like being shot through the arm, to stay away from the object of his desires, but he will not bother her for the next 60 days, at least. Droga's latest expression of his feelings toward the woman of his desire took the form of a brick, which he is said to have hurled through the window at her husband. He was sentenced to 60 days in the house of correction by Judge Cotter.

Detroit—Because his children would suffer if he were sent to the house of correction or fined for operating a motor vehicle while drunk, Louis Goetz, 1823 Hamilton avenue, was released while driving east on Gratiot, and testimony produced indicated he was drunk. He told Judge Marsh that if he was sentenced to a prison term his family of eight children would suffer. The children are aged from 4 to 11 years. Judge Marsh said him it was only because of consideration for the children that he went free.

BRYAN REFUSES TO HEAD DRYS

AARON WATKINS, TEACHER, IS
NOMINATED INSTEAD BY
PROHIBITIONISTS.

COLVIN HIS RUNNING MATE

Nominee Is Professor of Literature
in a Germantown Military
Academy.

Lincoln, Neb.—With the national convention finished and a ticket placed in the field, Prohibition delegates home, the newly elected national committee was making plans for the fight with the Democrats and Republicans.

The convention adjourned after naming Aaron S. Watkins, Germantown, O., a school teacher, as its standard bearer, and Dr. Leigh Colvin, New York author, nominated as his running mate. The nominations came after William Jennings Bryan, nominated, had sent word from Bezean, Mont., that he could not accept because he wished to remain a Democrat, although he had "not decided how he would vote this fall."

Mr. Watkins is a professor of literature in a Germantown military academy. He was a professor in Ada College, Ohio, for several years, and was vice-presidential candidate on the Prohibition ticket in 1908 and 1912. He was born on a farm near Rushsylvania, O., and is 53 years old. He preached 17 years in the Methodist Church before starting teaching and was nominated for governor of Ohio on the Prohibition ticket in 1905 and 1908.

Active Campaign. In accepting Mr. Watkins said his campaign plans were up to the national committee, but he knew it "would be an active campaign."

In addition to planning for the campaign, the national committee expects to issue a statement in the next few days making known its feeling toward Senator Marion J. Harding's prohibition pronouncements in his speech of acceptance, but they wanted more time to study it.

Mr. Bryan's telegram was as follows:

"Having been away from the railroads and telegraphic facilities for the last 24 hours, I have not received your telegram notifying me of the nomination tendered me by the Prohibition Party convention. But, reading a copy of it in the Bezean (Chronicle), I hasten to reply.

Shares in Disappointment.

"I profoundly appreciate the honor done me in tendering this nomination and I fully share in the convention's interest in prohibition as the permanent policy of our country and in the strict enforcement of the Volstead Act without any weakening of its provisions. I also share the convention's disappointment at the failure of the Democratic and Republican Parties to pledge their candidates to such a policy. But I can not, in justice to the Prohibition Party, nor to myself, accept the nomination.

"My connection with other reforms would make it impossible for me to focus my attention on the Prohibition question alone, and besides I am not willing to sever my connection with the Democratic Party, which has so signally honored me in years past.

ACCEPT AWARD UNDER PROTEST

15 of 16 Rail Chiefs in Harmony;
One to Take Strike Vote.

Chicago—Railway union executives left Chicago following a three day conference at the conclusion of which it was decided by all of the recognized 16 unions, except one, the Order of Railway Telegraphers, to accept under protest the railway labor board's wage award, seven voting for a referendum of the individual unions.

The telegraphers referred the award to their membership with a strike proposition. The other 15 unions expressed intention of renewing their cases before the board.

It was estimated by union leaders that the tabulated returns on the referendum vote would not be made before September 1, when the railroads revert to complete private ownership. The acceptance under protest was only finally made in order to obtain for the men the back pay from May 1 on Aug. 1, the union officials said.

The Order of Railway Conductors said that it felt "that the public interest demands acceptance." The conductors met again to take up "a new petition asking further consideration in respect to certain rates."

Grand Rapids—Women of the Lincoln Republican club protested because the names of married women are not in the city directory.

Alaska May Furnish Navy Coal.

Washington—Alaskan coal fields may eventually afford a source of supply for the entire Pacific fleet. Secretary Daniels said in a message to the navy department. The secretary has recently been inspecting the Alaskan coal situation, particularly the Matanuska fields. Tests of the coal, Mr. Daniels's message from Alaska said, showed it to be entirely suited to naval uses. The deposits appear to be plenty large enough, the telegram added.

"Sun Kissed" Monograms Latest Fad

Atlantic City, N. J.—"Sun kissed monograms" are Milady's newest fad here. The method is simple and the effect striking. A pair of plump shoulders, a few strips of designed coat plaster and a penknife or pocket scissors do the trick. The sun tans the exposed skin, leaving that under the strips white and gleaming when the plaster is removed. Such a monogram can be seen for long distances. And, of course, decorative skill needn't be confined to monograms.

HE WOULD HAVE BATHING SUIT LAW TO COVER KNEES

Atlanta, Ga.—"There ought to be a law against it," mused State Senator Wilkinson, viewing a dimpled knee as its owner poised for a graceful dive.

And Senator Wilkinson had two stringent "blue laws" before the Senate, one governing bathing costumes, the other on "character protection." The Senator's observations brought these recommendations:

"Women's bathing costumes should conceal the knees as well as the shoulders—and conceal both knees and shoulders."

"Bathing by men and women in the same pool should not be permitted at least a rope barrier should be interposed."

"Watching and spying should be punished by fines of not less than \$500 nor more than \$5,000."

His "character protection" measure would forbid girls between 14 and 16 having "company" without written consent.

ESTATE IS WILLED TO RELATION

Bulk Goes to Widow and Three Children Share Alike.

Detroit—The will of George F. Monaghan, Detroit attorney who died recently, was filed in the office of Probate Court. All interests in Mr. Monaghan's law business was left to Peter J. Monaghan, a cousin, by the instrument, which was signed July 8, 1920.

To Gerald P. Monaghan, brother, was left the property at 271 Fifth street, together with 50 shares of stock in the Peninsular State Bank, and \$10,000 payable one year from the date of Mr. Monaghan's death. To his aunt, Hannah L. Monaghan, Mr. Monaghan left \$3,000 and his interest in the property at 65 Calvert avenue. Mary Fitzgerald, a cousin, was bequeathed \$3,000.

The remainder of Mr. Monaghan's property is to be held in trust for his widow, Mrs. Alice Kitchner Monaghan, with the stipulation that at her death it is to be divided in three equal shares among their children: George F. Monaghan, Jr., Alice E. and Margaret Monaghan.

CHARGE SEWER RUINS TUNNEL

Auto Officials' Complaint Is Investigated By Council.

Detroit—An investigation of a complaint filed by officers of the Hudson and Essex Motor Car companies that completion of the Conner's Creek sewer under present tentative plans will virtually ruin a new 1,500-foot tunnel, was under way by Public Works Commissioner Martin and City Engineer Hubbell. The tunnel connects the two plants and was constructed recently at a cost of \$250,000.

To carry through present plans, council members say, the city will be forced to construct a new tunnel for the motor companies. Changing the course of the sewer to avoid collision with the tunnel would cost approximately \$2,000,000.

The complaint was made before the council by ex-Judge William F. Connolly, attorney for the Hudson Motor Car Co. and Fred H. Currie, plant superintendent.

The council gave the Hudson company permission to build the tunnel almost a year ago.

DETECTIVES ON TRAIL OF BONDS

Two Brothers Are Being Held With Stolen Securities.

Detroit—Pennsylvania detectives arrived to investigate the stories of Benjamin Davis, 26 years old, and his brother, David Davis, 25 years old, that the \$37,100 in bonds which they attempted to sell last week were entrusted to them for sale by a former saloonkeeper of Toledo. The bonds were identified as part of the \$100,000 loot obtained by five men who held up the First National Bank in Finleyville, Pa., May 24.

The Davis brothers were arrested after trying to dispose of the bonds to a Griswold street brokerage house, and the identification was made as the result of telegrams sent to Pittsburgh officers by Edward H. Fox, chief of detectives. Benjamin Davis conducts a real estate office in the Penobscot Building, and his brother, David, operated a dry cleaning establishment in Toledo.

Benjamin Davis, who lives at 163 Willis avenue west, was released on bonds.

Beaumer—Eli Milgovich told court his moonshine profits since prohibition began were \$40,000 and he was sent to jail for a year.

Corpses Contains Lots of Spirits.

Greenwich, Conn.—There was a real "kick" in a corpse found by prohibition agents in a hearse passing through Seymour, a suburb. The agents, undrunk by the figure of a man clothed in clerical robes seated beside the driver, halted the hearse and pulled out the coffin. They found the coffin filled with spirits—yes, 500 gallons of spirits. The driver and clerical assistant were arrested. The "mourners" showed uncontrolled grief.

Birth, Follows Flash of Lightning.

Marion, Ill.—Marion's "lightning baby" gurgled in its hospital cot, unconscious that his entry into the world was in any way unusual. He was born to Mrs. Richard Eckold after she had been knocked unconscious by a bolt of lightning. Mrs. Eckold and nine others were overcome when lightning struck their shelter. Before any had recovered the baby was rushed to a hospital, where physicians said all was well.

UNUSUAL HAPPENINGS AND OTHER BRIEF NEWS

Pig As Wedding Present.

London.—Among the presents received by a young couple who were married in the Clitheroe district this week was a young pig.

One Hill Yields 35 Potatoes.

Three Rivers, Mich.—Mrs. J. D. Ulrich, a gardener here, claims the state championship in potato growing on the record of one hill of potatoes from which she dug up 35 tubers. The output of the hill was sold for \$1.45.

Foe Airship Given Up.

London.—The German airship L-64, slightly larger than the British dirigible R-34, which last year made a trans-Atlantic voyage, was surrendered at the Pulham airbase, in accordance with the terms of the treaty Versailles.

Hear Voice Across Sea.

St. Johns, N. F.—Experts from the Marconi Wireless company who are here conducting experiments in long distance wireless telephonic communication, announced that they heard messages from the Chelmsford station near London, more than 2,000 miles distant.

Ship Sticks, Spoils Big Program.

Philadelphia.—Hog Island shipyard hoped to make a record by launching five ships within an hour, but the first vessel on the program, the Vaba, elected to stick on the ways. The launchers started with the second vessel and carried out the program finally, except for the time involved.

To Favor Ex-Servicemen.

Washington.—Ex-servicemen and their widows "shall be given the usual preference" in determining those to be retired under the federal employees' retirement act, according to an order issued by President Wilson and addressed to heads of federal departments and the civil service commission.

No Prisoners, Sheriff Has to Work.

Middletown, N. Y.—Because there are no prisoners in the county jail at Goshen who can be employed on the county farm, Sheriff William Leonard has gone into the fields himself. James Scott, a deputy, also has been impressed as a farm hand. Sheriff Leonard lays the lack of prisoners to prohibition.

Villa Would Give Self Up.

Mexico City.—Francisco Villa, the rebel leader, is trying to surrender, but the government will not negotiate with him, according to an official statement issued. More than 8,000 men are opposing Villa in the state of Chihuahua, the statement says, and the federal forces are occupying all his supply bases and surrounding him.

Men Who Worked Too Fast.

London, Eng.—Viscount Curzon in the house of commons said he had heard that bricklayers at Hayes had left work because a foreman of the gang which had laid 700 bricks a day was not discharged. He said the other workmen in a section which had laid only 350 bricks wanted the foreman dismissed for working too fast.

Hearst Backed Off The Map.

Amsterdam, Holland.—A Dusseldorf message says that Herr Giesberts, German minister of posts, declared at a meeting of the Catholic league, that the well-known industrialist, Herr Hugo Stinnes, who recently purchased the Deutsche Allgemeine Zeitung, has now become the proprietor of 64 German papers. He also purchased six factories in order to keep his papers supplied with print paper.

\$7,500 Job, Couldn't Support Family.

Chicago.—Ole Hanson gave up a \$7,500 per year job as mayor of Seattle in order to earn a living for his family, he told a jury here. He said he made his living delivering lectures after leaving office. Hanson was cross-examined by the defense in the espionage trial of 20 Communist Party leaders. Cross-examination was centered on Hanson's history, his reasons for resigning as mayor and his income.

To Return U. S. Flag.

London, Eng.—England will return to the state of Kentucky a flag which was captured from Kentucky volunteers at the Battle of the Thames in the war of 1812. The Kentucky legislature has appropriated money to send to England a commissioner who will bring back the flag. This commissioner, James Buchanan of Louisville, is a descendant of the commander of the Kentucky troops in the battle.

Steals Money On Policeman's Desk.

Columbus, O.—Emmett C. Warner earned the title, "The Nerviest Thief." He robbed the city prison under the very eyes of the police. Warner asked a police clerk to find out how many times he had been arrested. A bag containing \$100, funds of the police and fireman's co-operative store, lay on the desk. When the clerk turned his back Warner made off with the money, police say. He was arrested while returning to his home and the money recovered.

Bills Poison Her Leg.

Plymouth, Conn.—It did not avail Miss Ella McWoodson of Plymouth, Conn., anything that she saved her money from pickpockets by carrying it in the "hiss thread bank," for now she will have to give it to surgeons for amputating her leg. Blood poison has set in and physicians have told her that the only way to save her life is to part company with the badly affected leg. She admits that for a long time she has carried money in her stocking next to the skin.

FIVE MINUTE CHATS ABOUT OUR PRESIDENTS

By JAMES MORGAN

AN IMMIGRANT'S SON

1767—March 15, Andrew Jackson, son born in Union county, N. C.
1781—Taken prisoner by the British.
1791—Married Mrs. Rachel Donelson Robards.
1806—Killed Charles Dickinson in a duel.
1815—January 8, won the Battle of New Orleans.
1817—18—Put down the Seminole Indians in Florida.
1821—Governor of the territory of Florida.

SLAYING DRAGONS

1828—Andrew Jackson elected president.
1829—Inaugurated, seventh president, aged 61.
1832—Vetoed bank bill suppressing nullifications. Re-elected triumphantly.
1833—Removed the bank deposits.
1834—Brought France to terms.
1837—Jackson retired.
1845—June 8, death of Jackson, aged 78.

JACKSON'S administration stands forth in the half-century between Jefferson and Lincoln because of two measures. One of these was the overthrow of the United States bank. That great institution, patterned after the Bank of England and the Bank of France, was an efficient but dangerous partner for a democratic government. It was a money monopoly which could make or break any enterprise in the country; it held in its grasp the financial life of America; it received and distributed all the revenues of the nation and half of its deposits were public moneys; but, with only a fifth of its directors appointed by the government, it was not under public control.

When Jackson began his audacious fight upon the bank, it was at the height of its power. Against heavy odds, he vetoed the bill for rechartering it; took his case to the people in his campaign for re-election, and scored a complete victory. On the strength of that popular verdict he removed the government deposits and left the bank to a slow and ignominious collapse.

For this action the senate censured him. After a bitter fight, in which Jackson's one-time antagonist, Thomas H. Benton, now a senator from Missouri, was his champion, the resolution was expunged by drawing about it in the records a heavy black line.

Jackson was equally bold and victorious in meeting the threat of nullification, although it came from his own section, from his own party and from his own vice president, John C. Calhoun. Shortly before his inauguration congress passed the first tariff that was framed for the benefit of the new manufacturing industries which were springing up in New England. This bestowal of a special privilege aroused the jealousy of the agricultural South.

At a Democratic banquet in Washington in 1830, President Jackson rose and proposed this toast: "For Federal Union; it must be preserved." Then Vice President Calhoun got up and toasted the rights of the states. Thus the two highest officials of the government joined issue across that dinner table on a question which great armies would fight out in another generation.

Two years afterward a convention in South Carolina solemnly adopted an ordinance nullifying the tariff act for that state and forbidding within the boundaries of the state the collection of customs duties under it. While recommending to congress a modification of the offending tariff, Jackson appealed to the patriotism of the South Carolinians in a proclamation which set all the North and much of the South ringing with cheers; ordered General Scott to the scene of

threatened trouble; re-enforced the forts of the dissatisfied state; dispatched a naval fleet to Charleston harbor, and only waited for the first overt act of revolt to give him warrant for arresting Calhoun and the other leaders.

Jackson's pre-eminent service to the country was rendered in his battle with nullification. "The tariff was only the pretext," he said, "disunion and a southern confederacy the real object. The next pretext will be the negro." Thanks to him, that irrepressible conflict had been postponed 25 years, until a great West should grow up and join hands with the East in saving the Union.

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readily folded up in a shape quite unlike its original shape. Hence, the meaning of the term has come to be understood to be thoroughly beaten or altered beyond recognition.

Powerful Home Influence. The blessed influences that radiate from a home well ordered and happy are countless and far-reaching; the selfish love, the kindness and the unselfish love, the hope and the faith in humanity.—Mark Twain.

"KNOCKED INTO A COCKED HAT."

This phrase is said to have originated as follows: In a game of nine-pins three pins were set up in form of a triangle and when all pins except these three were knocked down, the set was technically said to be "knocked into a cocked hat." This phrase in time came to mean "entirely out of shape" or out of "plumb." Another explanation is that the phrase refers to the cocked hat worn by naval officers which was so limp that it could be

Andrew Jackson.

FINE HOME FOR LARGE FAMILY

Attractive Stucco House Has Eight Good Rooms.

IS ECONOMICAL TO BUILD

Up-to-Date in Appearance and in Interior Arrangement, With Ample Sleeping Accommodations.

By WILLIAM A. RADFORD.

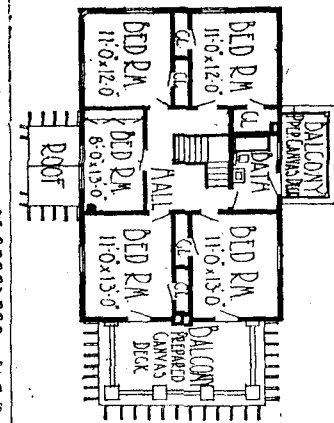
Mr. William A. Radford will answer questions and give advice FREE OF CHARGE on all subjects pertaining to the subject of building, for the readers of this paper. On account of his wide experience as Editor, Author and Manufacturer, he is, without doubt, the highest authority on all these subjects. Address all inquiries to William A. Radford, No. 1827 Prairie avenue, Chicago, Ill., and only enclose two-cent stamp for reply.

In this day when the tendency of architects is to design homes with few rooms and to plan those rooms so that they do the maximum of duty, the man with a large family does not have so large a range of home building plans to select from. Until some ten years ago few homes containing less than seven rooms were designed or built; now the opposite is the case.

However, sociologists to the contrary notwithstanding, there are many large families, and these large families want homes planned so that there are enough bedrooms to go around. At the same time they want homes that are up-to-date in appearance and in interior arrangement.

A modern, convenient eight-room house—a house containing five bedrooms—is shown in the accompanying illustration. This home was designed especially for a family of good size. The two first-floor rooms that are

rooms in addition to the bathroom. The stairs lead to a central hall on the second floor, out of which open four bedrooms on the corners and the fifth in the center of the building at the front. Every bedroom has two windows, and all but one have good-sized closets. The bathroom occupies the same position at the rear of this floor as the front middle bedroom, and from it through a French door the canvas-covered rear porch is reached. A large balcony over the



Second Floor Plan.

sun parlor adjoins both of the bedrooms at that end of the house.

The steep pitch of the roof provides a large and airy attic, wherein if desired a couple of more bedrooms can be partitioned off, or the space used for storage. The height of the roof also will tend to keep the house cooler in summer and warmer in winter.

The basement extends under the whole house, with the exception of the sun parlor. It is reached by stairs leading out of the kitchen and, as the whole building is 40 by 26 feet, there is plenty of room for the heating plant, the fuel storage room, a laundry and storage rooms for fruits, vegetables and lawn and garden tools.

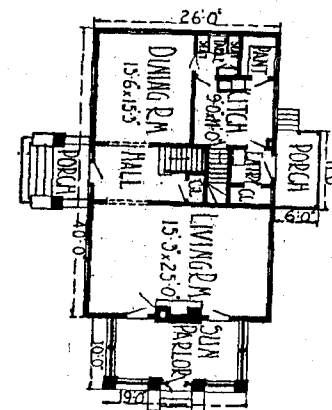


used by all the members of the family are unusually large, while on the second floor there are sleeping accommodations in plenty.

From an exterior standpoint this home leaves little to be desired. It suggests the Colonial type of architecture in that it has an entrance placed in the center, with the Colonial balcony at either side. The large sun parlor at one end is a modern addition that is found in all present-day good homes.

The house is rectangular in shape, which means that it can be erected at the minimum of cost. At the same time the roof is so designed that the plain effect of this shape of house is taken away. The building is of frame construction, set on a concrete foundation to grade and brick foundation walls to the first floor sill. Above the walls are covered with stucco over either wood or metal lath or some one of the patented stucco boards. The brick foundation walls and the brick porch and sun parlor pillars add to the attractiveness of the exterior.

The entrance leads to a central hall out of which run the stairs. To the right is the living room, 15 feet, 8 inches, by 25 feet, which is un-



First Floor Plan.

usually large. In the center of the end wall is a large, open fire-place, and on either side are French doors leading to the sun parlor, 10 by 18 feet. On the opposite side of the house at the front is the dining room, 16 feet, 6 inches, by 15 feet, 8 inches. Back of the dining room is the kitchen, 9 by 11 feet.

Study of the floor plans that also accompany this article will show the good features that have been put into the kitchen. Adjacent to the dining room is a breakfast nook, where meals can be served without the work of preparing the dining room. At the same time the nook is partially separated from the kitchen. A large pantry with an outside window is back of the breakfast nook. On the other side of the room is the entry from the rear porch, with a closet at one side.

Economy in the use of the space in this house is continued to the second floor, where the architect has generously provided five good-size bed-

From this brief description it will be realized that this house is one that will appeal to the head of a large family who wants to build a home to house them comfortably and at the same time has not a large amount of money to invest. The rooms are many but are arranged so that the work of caring for the home can be done with the smallest expenditure of energy. Every convenience and comfort are provided for.

Such a home as this in these days of high rentals would be held at such a figure that it truly is "cheaper to build than pay rent." The first thought of the architect who designed this home was to give the home owner the maximum amount of space, and a comfortable and handsome home at the least possible cost.

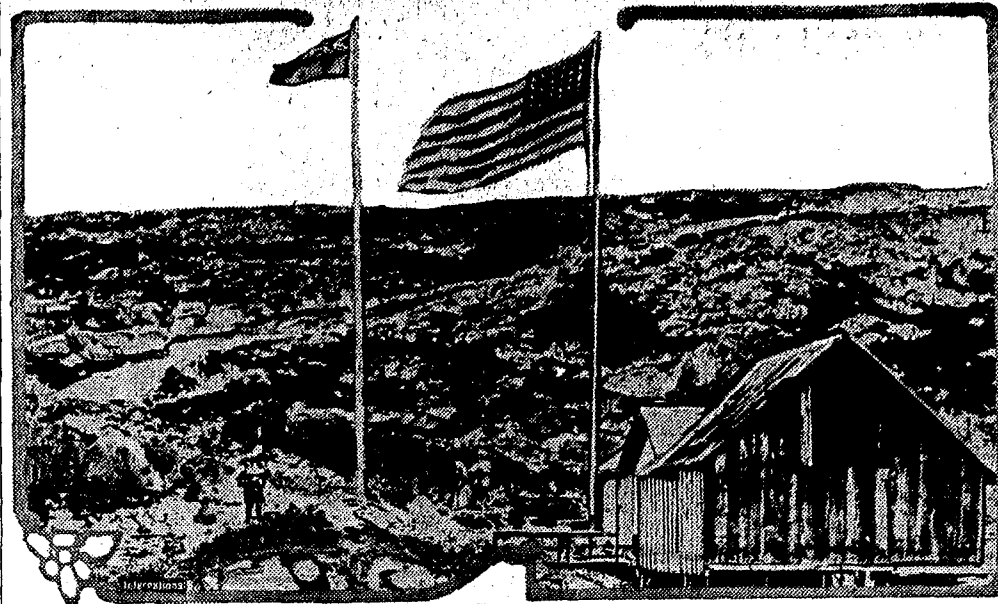
Was Borrowed Middling.
Gen. Robert E. Lee was a frugal man. His ordinary dinner consisted of a head of cabbage boiled in salt water and a pone of corn bread. It is told that on one occasion a number of gentlemen had an appointment to dine with the Confederate warrior. General Lee had ordered his servant to provide a repast of cabbage and middlings. A very small bit of middling garnished the dish when it was brought in; so small was it, in fact, that the guests were stricken with undue politeness and each in turn declined it. And the middling remained on the dish when the dinner came to an end and the guests arose to go. Next day the general, remembering the untouched middling, ordered his negro servant to serve it up for dinner. The negro hesitated, scratched his head and at length said: "You see, Marse Robert, de fac' am this: that theah middlin' was borrowed middlin', and I's done give it back to the man when I got it fum."

Changing the Color of Gems.
It is possible to change the color of precious and semiprecious stones by exposing them to the action of radium. A Frenchman who has devoted himself to this study has obtained remarkable results. He bought sapphires of different kinds and put them in a box with a small quantity of radium. At the end of a month the transformations were as follows: White sapphires had become yellow; blue, green; violet, blue; wine-colored stone, red; dark blue, violet.

Easy to Get Rid of Enemy.
Long before bullets were ever thought of as an ideal messenger of death, the idea of working evil on an enemy was extensively practiced by the Ojibwa Indian. He would make a small wooden image of the one whose destruction he sought, and then pierce its head or heart with a needle. He was positive in his belief that the object of his hate would be similarly affected. However, to make certain, he would burn the puppet to the accompaniment of magical words.

Kicking at Bills.
"I think Amelia is afraid there will be the devil to pay when her William asks her father for her hand." "I wouldn't be surprised if he did foot her Bill."

Where Wet and Dry Meet



Where the flag poles of Canada and Alaska meet, showing the United States custom house, made necessary to enforce the prohibition laws, and to prevent the smuggling of anything over 2.75 per cent.

Two Million Dollar Fire in Brooklyn



A fire that started in the W. A. Starr lumber yards at Twenty-seventh street and Third avenue, Brooklyn, swept the entire block, burning up eleven dwellings, several warehouses, a factory, and the lumber yard. Five alarms were turned in, and the firemen from all parts of Brooklyn responded. It was only after a hard battle that the flames were kept from spreading to near-by shipyards. Volunteers joined the firemen in fighting the blaze. The loss is estimated at more than two million dollars.

"CHEROKEE BILL"



"Cherokee Bill," an Indian-negro, who is reputed to be worth \$30,000, and has been twice listed in the census as the oldest man in America, has just celebrated his 123d birthday on his farm in Grand Junction, Colo., according to telegraphic reports. He served in the war of 1812 and later settled down in Colorado, where he had a claim. In 1911 at the age of 114, "Bill" announced to the world that he was retiring. It was rumored at the time that there was 300 pounds of gold, worth between \$75,000 and \$80,000, secreted about the shack he calls home.

NEW VICTORY MEDAL



View of the obverse of the new victory medal, designed by James Earl Fraser, and of which nearly 5,000,000 will be distributed to soldiers, sailors and marines, nurses and doctors, who served in the world war. Photographed from the original plaster cast of clay model.

First Prayer in Congress.
Jacob Douche, a clergyman and writer, on September 7, 1774, made the opening prayer before the Continental congress, then assembled in Carpenter's hall, Philadelphia. He acted as chaplain to congress for three months after the Declaration of Independence.

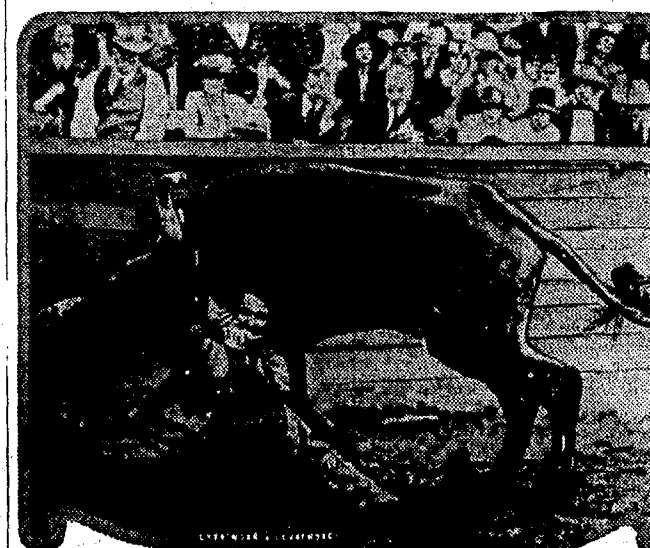
The Crucial Test.
A man isn't really henpecked until his wife can make him go upstairs and change his socks after he has put on his hat to go out.—Arkansas Thomas.

Tiger of France Is Honored



A monument to the beloved tiger of France, former Premier Clemenceau, will be unveiled at Venden, the "home town" of the great patriot. It is the work of Sicard, noted sculptor, and shows Clemenceau in the trenches surrounded by his pollus.

"Bulldogging" a Steer



"Oklahoma Curry" "bulldogging" a steer during the Wichita Falls roundup. This is a favorite stunt among cowboys. It consists of leaping from their horse and grabbing the steer by the horns, wrestling with him until he falls.

CONDENSATIONS

A hymn book in English and Eskimo has been prepared for use in Alaska.

With a population of 1,500,000 in an area of 72,210 square miles Uruguay is the most densely inhabited South American nation.

Kingary grows a wild flower which is the exact floral image of a hummingbird. The breast is green, the throat yellow, the head and back most black.

"He overcomes a stout enemy that overcomes his own anger."—Chilo.

Bollers of an electric light plant in Spitzbergen have been heat insulated to prevent them thawing the always frozen ground and sinking into it.

The district of Dundee is the center of the jute industry in the United Kingdom and practically all the raw jute imported into the country, which averages 1,200,000 bales annually, is consumed there. It is the staple industry of Dundee and employs normally about 85,000 workers.

The AMERICAN LEGION

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INCREASE FOR DISABLED MEN

Darrow Bill Enlarges Amount by \$20 a Month for Veterans While Taking Training.

Another important victory in the American Legion's long fight for beneficial legislation in behalf of sick and disabled ex-service men is revealed in a telegram announcing passage of the bill, recently received at Legion national headquarters from Thomas W. Miller, chairman of the organization's national legislative committee in Washington.

The senate in a night session, according to the message, passed the measure as a rider to the deficiency appropriation bill, and as it previously had been passed by the house. It now awaits only the signature of the president to become a law.

The Darrow bill increases, by \$20 a month, the amount of money paid to disabled veterans of the world war while taking training under the direction of the federal board of vocational education.

This is the second time the Legion has obtained an increase for the maimed heroes, having pushed through congress, last December, the Sweet bill, which raised the amount of compensation for them from \$30 to \$50 a month.

"The passage of the Darrow bill," said Lemuel Bolles, national adjutant of the Legion, "was largely due to the work done by Legionnaires who visited Washington in its interest. General published reports at that time indicated that the Legion representatives confined their activities solely to the pending fourfold optional compensation bill. Results show that the needs of the disabled men always have stood first on the Legion's program and the organization is going right on working for these unfortunates, irrespective of what congress may or may not see fit to do with the problems of ex-service men as a whole."

"The passage of the Darrow bill will give great impetus to the Legion's cooperative plan to assist the federal board in getting every eligible disabled man into training at once, as many had refrained from taking training because of the inadequate compensation heretofore allowed."

SHE MAKES THE MOST CALLS

American Legion Headquarters' Switchboard Operator, Miss B. Vize, Is Known as "Sunshine."

The girl who "calls" more people and gets "called" oftener than anyone else at national headquarters of the Legion is Miss Lula B. Vize of Indianapolis. She has charge of the telephone switchboard and a sort of general information bureau adjoining the offices of the national commander. She offers complete proof of the fal-



Miss Lula B. Vize.

lacy of the theory that red, or "titian" hair is indicative of a fiery temper. Her perpetually sunny disposition has earned for her the office sobriquet of "Sunshine." Married? You ask. Well, as some facetious "buddy" might say: "You tell 'em, concrete; we're too mortified!"

Accepts Men From All Branches.

David W. Jameson Post No. 183, Philadelphia, which was originally started as a Chemical Service post, has in accordance with the desires of the state and national conventions abandoned the unit basis of membership, and now includes men from all branches of the service.

Should Be a Holiday.

Armistice day, November 11, should be a legal holiday throughout the United States, according to resolution adopted by the Great Falls Post No. 8, Great Falls, Mont. Copies of the resolution were forwarded to the Montana congressional delegation at Washington, signed by Charles Davidson, Aaron Singht and E. J. Fitzpatrick.

Club House Is Only Need.

Answering a questionnaire recently sent out from national headquarters, officers of Crispus Attucks Post No. 151, 1322 Fairmount avenue, Philadelphia, says that post's only need is a clubhouse and they are planning a campaign for funds to provide one.

Composes New Legion March.

John Philip Sousa, famous bandmaster and composer, formerly lieutenant of the U. S. N. E. F. has composed a new march, the title of which is "Comrades of the Legion."

TRIBUTE TO EX-SERVICE MEN

National Commander D'Olier, in Letter for Memorial Service, Compliments Men Who Served.

Listen, buddies, to what Franklin D'Olier, your national commander, said about you in a recent letter. A Legion post at Westville, N. J., asked Rev. Howard E. Thompson of Woodbury, N. J., to conduct a Memorial service for them, and the minister wrote the national commander for a message which he could read publicly on that occasion.

"In a very few years," Mr. D'Olier wrote, in part, "the ex-service men of this country will be the most prominent in business, in the professions and in politics, not merely because they are ex-service men, but because, in order to enter the service, they were picked men, physically, mentally and morally, and being thus selected and having the advantage of great experience in the army, navy and marine



Franklin D'Olier.

corps, they will necessarily be leaders in all walks of life.

"The American Legion proposes to keep the ex-service men together in an organization whose ideals are service to our country and service to our comrades, and their reward will be the continuing satisfaction of unselfish service faithfully performed."

FURLOUGH AT ATLANTIC CITY

Famous Resort Post Arranges to Accommodate Former Service Men on Their Vacations.

The Atlantic City post of the American Legion is hooking up the A. E. F. leave men idea to the possibilities of America's summer resort. It is inviting Legionnaires from any part of the United States to spend a furlough at Atlantic City, and it is establishing for them a tent camp at which the expense item of quarters is reduced to a minimum. So, even though our well-known former skipper, Uncle Sam, isn't available to issue transportation and commutation of rations and quarters, any Legionnaire may now spend a vacation at Atlantic City without going financially flat in the process.

Bill Fisher, formerly top sergeant of Company C, Twenty-third engineers, is the father of the Atlantic City leave area plan. He put the scheme up to the Atlantic City post and the post voted to carry it out. A committee was authorized to go ahead with the scheme.

The conception of the camp which the committee had in mind when it started work was a tent town which should be operated on the simplest plan feasible. It should provide for a nominal sum living quarters under canvas, thus saving the Legionnaires the expensive hotel bills and at the same time assuring them of a place to stay in a city in which it is sometimes difficult to obtain hotel accommodations at any price. Living in the tent town, the ex-service men should be able to take advantage of the bathing, the boating, the dancing on the piers, the shows in the theaters and the many other diversions which the resort offers.

The committee has named the tent town Camp D'Olier in honor of the Legion's national commander. It has worked out all the details of the camp. The city councilmen, led by the mayor, granted the post the right to use a plot of ground owned by the city and the city engineer laid out the camp streets and planned the sanitary facilities.

All the Boys Know Him.

What do you know about pendula loss? The bug experts in the bureau of entomology of the department of agriculture are seeking information about this five-syllabled affliction, which the A. E. F. veteran knows by the shorter term of "cooties." A report of the bureau says that if lice-borne diseases should get a foothold in this country their appearance in epidemic form is not impossible.

Had the Goods on Him.

"What's the charge against this man?" asked the judge. "Fighting in the street," replied the officer. "You're fined \$9.00, my man." "What is the 00 cents for, your honor?" "War tax." "But, your honor, the war's over." "Over nothing; you were fighting weren't you?"

The Only Problem.

"What do you expect to get for those spuds?" asked a traveling man in Buffalo on meeting a farmer driving a load of potatoes to market. "Dollar a bushel." "Only a dollar? Why, in my home town you get \$2." "And where's that?" "El Paso." The farmer spat philosophically over the side. "Yaas," he drawled. "And ice water sells for \$1,000 a gallon in hell. It's just a matter of transportation."

ANNUAL SCHOOL MEETING.

Grayling, Michigan.
July 12th, 1920.
The Annual School meeting of School Dist. No. 1 of Grayling Twp. was held on above date. Meeting was called to order by M. Hanson, president of Board of Education. Call of meeting was read by the Secretary, minutes of last annual meeting read and approved. Financial report of Secretary was read as follows:

General Fund Receipts.

Bal. on hand July 10, 1919 \$ 3,483.31
Sept. 3rd, sale of books..... 150.00
Oct. 10th, sale of books..... 100.00
Oct. 22nd, sale of books..... 100.00
Nov. 7th, Tuition..... 25.00
Nov. 21st, sale of books..... 75.00
Nov. 28th, delinquent taxes..... 652.25
Nov. 28th, Tuition..... 12.50
Dec. 2nd, Tuition..... 50.00
Dec. 2nd, Tuition..... 50.00
Dec. 5th, use of gym..... 25.00
Jan. 22nd, 1920, loan..... 4,500.00
Feb. 28th, 1920, use of gym..... 25.00
Mar. 5th, 1920, sale of books..... 200.00

Mar. 9th, 1920, loan..... 4,000.00
Mar. 9th, 1920, sale of al. pump..... 10.00
Apr. 9th, 1920, voted tax..... 18,559.49
Apr. 20th, 1920, sale of books..... 80.00
Mar. 23rd, 1920, sale of books..... 64.00
June 1st, 1920, rebate on mdses..... 6.80
June 12th, 1920, sale of books..... 27.50
June 17th, 1920, sale of books..... 119.60
June 26th, 1920, rebate on mdses..... 3.36
Total receipts..... 27,263.82

General Fund Expenditures

Aug. 2nd, 1919, Mrs. Kaivonen, janitor..... 20.00
July 11th, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 25.00
July 12th, 1919, W. D. West, labor..... 9.80
July 18th, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 25.00
July 20th, 1919, S. N. Insley, services..... 5.00
July 20th, 1919, A. M. Lewis, services..... 5.00
July 20, 1919, M. Hanson, services..... 5.00
July 20, 1919, H. Bauman, services..... 5.00
July 20th, 1919, J. Kraus, janitor..... 5.00
July 20th, 1919, Grayling Electric Co., service..... 61.05
July 20th, 1919, American Book Co., books..... 29.60
July 20th, 1919, Row Peterson Co., supplies..... 2.25
July 20th, 1919, O. P. Schuman, printing..... 13.95
Jul. 20th, 1919, Grayling Telephone Co., ser..... 18.20
July 20th, 1919, D. Appleton Co., book..... 3.50
July 20, 1919, A. Peterson, repairs..... 3.00
July 21st, 1919, Geo. Wahr, books..... 106.78
July 21st, 1919, A. Trudeau, mdses..... 10.80
July 21st, 1919, Salling Hanson Co., water tax..... 150.00
Jul. 21st, 1919, Standard Oil Co., floor dressing..... 40.19
July 21st, 1919, Century Carbon Mfg. Co., ribbons..... 17.50
July 21st, 1919, M. Otterbein, expenses..... 85.00
July 21st, 1919, Longman Green Co., books..... 5.96
July 21st, 1919, A. P. W. Paper Co., paper..... 25.90
July 25th, 1919, The Dobson Evans Co., books..... 3.44
July 25th, 1919, Ginn & Co., books..... 25.35
Jul. 26th, 1919, Central Scientific Co., supplies..... 4.20
July 25th, 1919, Gaylord Bros., supplies..... 4.45
July 25th, Salling Hanson Co., supplies..... 81
July 25th, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 25.00
July 25th, 1919, O. Corwin, freight & draying..... 6.60
Aug. 2nd, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 25.00
Aug. 8th, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 25.00
Aug. 22nd, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 25.00
Aug. 26th, 1919, Geo. Leonard, wood..... 26.25
Aug. 26th, 1919, W. Jensen, decorating..... 188.91
Aug. 26th, 1919, Sorenson, decorating..... 100.00
Aug. 27th, 1919, D. J. Insley & Keyport, serv..... 10.00
Aug. 29th, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 25.00
Aug. 30th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 17.34
Sept. 3rd, 1919, Mrs. Kaivonen, janitor..... 20.00
Sept. 8th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 27.65
Sept. 11th, 1919, C. W. Amidon, labor..... 2.50
Sept. 16th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 25.00
Sept. 16th, 1919, Standard Oil Co., fuel, oil..... 30.20
Sept. 20th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 25.00
Sept. 22nd, 1919, C. Corwin, freight and dray..... 8.77
Sept. 22nd, 1919, D. J. Insley & Keyport, serv..... 10.00
Sept. 22nd, 1919, Chicago Apparatus Co., sup..... 11.40
Sept. 22nd, 1919, Gaylord Bros., supplies..... 2.30
Sept. 22nd, 1919, C. J. Hathaway, clock..... 3.15
Sept. 22nd, 1919, J. H. Shults, supplies..... 3.82
Sept. 25th, 1919, C. Sorenson, decorating..... 51.07
Sept. 25th, 1919, Grayling Electric Co., service..... 6.10
Sept. 25th, 1919, Sorenson Bros., supplies..... 2.20
Sept. 25th, 1919, Crawford Avalanche, printing..... 9.45
Sept. 25th, 1919, Acme Chemical Co., supplies..... 31.50
Sept. 25th, 1919, Salling Hanson Co., supplies..... 10.00
Sept. 27th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 35.00
Sept. 29th, 1919, Standard Oil Co., fuel, oil..... 19.20
Sept. 30th, 1919, Mrs. Kaivonen, janitor..... 40.00
Oct. 4th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 25.00
Oct. 7th, 1919, W. M. Welsh Co., supplies..... 14.24
Oct. 7th, 1919, Louis F. Dow Co., supplies..... 40.65
Oct. 7th, 1919, Dustless Brush Co., supplies..... 4.75
Oct. 7th, 1919, Houghton Mifflin Co., books..... 29.32
Oct. 9th, 1919, Geo. Leonard, wood..... 36.25
Oct. 11th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 25.00
Oct. 18th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 35.00
Oct. 25th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 32.80
Oct. 27th, 1919, Standard Oil Co., fuel, oil..... 19.20
Oct. 27th, 1919, W. M. Welsh Co., supplies..... 468.61
Oct. 27th, 1919, American Book Co., books..... 47.81
Oct. 27th, 1919, A. M. Lewis, supplies..... 13.00
Oct. 27th, 1919, Macmillan Co., books..... 12.55
Oct. 27th, 1919, Johnson Service Co., repairs..... 10.26
Oct. 27th, 1919, J. I. Holcomb Co., supplies..... 47.43
Oct. 27th, 1919, Henry Holt Co., books..... 34.99
Oct. 27th, 1919, Grayling City Telephone Co., service..... 14.20
Oct. 27th, 1919, M. A. Bates, census..... 50.00
Oct. 27th, 1919, Grayling Electric Co., service..... 13.35
Oct. 27th, 1919, Crawford Avalanche, printing..... 26.20
Oct. 27th, 1919, Allen & Bacon Co., book..... 6.73
Oct. 27th, 1919, D. Appleton Co., books..... 48.81
Oct. 27th, 1919, Ginn & Co., books..... 68.53
Oct. 27th, 1919, Gregg Pub. Co., books..... 20.28
Oct. 27th, 1919, D. Heath Co., books..... 6.90
Oct. 27th, 1919, E. Merrill Co., books..... 29.11
Oct. 27th, 1919, A. N. Palmer Co., books..... 11.04
Oct. 27th, 1919, Scott Foresman Co., books..... 35.00
Oct. 27th, 1919, Silver Burdette Co., books..... 22.25
Oct. 27th, 1919, World Book Co., books..... 10.34
Oct. 27th, 1919, Mrs. E. Stillwagon, board of pupil..... 32.00
Oct. 27th, 1919, E. A. W. Rowles Co., books..... 2.94
Oct. 27th, 1919, Gaylord Bros., supplies..... 1.75
Oct. 30th, 1919, American Ex. Co., express..... 13.32
Nov. 1st, 1919, Mrs. Kaivonen, janitor..... 40.00
Nov. 1st, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 32.40
Nov. 4th, 1919, H. Hanson, insurance..... 61.00
Nov. 8th, 1919, F. D. Griffin, janitor..... 42.00
Nov. 10th, 1919, Standard Oil Co., oil..... 15.20
Nov. 15th, 1919, W. H. Ketzbeck, repairs..... 12.82
Nov. 17th, 1919, Express Co., express..... 4.8
Nov. 22nd, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Nov. 26th, 1919, Mrs. Stillwagon, board..... 16.00
Nov. 30th, 1919, Mrs. Kaivonen, janitor..... 40.00
Dec. 2nd, 1919, Standard Oil Co., oil..... 19.20
Dec. 5th, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Dec. 11th, 1919, G. C. Merriam Co., books..... 21.60
Dec. 11th, 1919, C. Sorenson, decorating..... 44.98
Dec. 11th, 1919, A. Flanigan Co., supplies..... 9.50
Dec. 11th, 1919, Thos. Charles Co., supplies..... 11.39
Dec. 11th, 1919, A. Flanigan Co., subscription..... 9.50
Dec. 11th, 1919, Mich. Education Co., supplies..... 5.15
Dec. 11th, 1919, Geo. L. Alexander, insurance..... 48.75
Dec. 11th, 1919, Grayling Electric Co., service..... 31.25
Dec. 11th, 1919, Grayling Telephone Co., service..... 4.30
Dec. 11th, 1919, Sorenson Bros., supplies..... 1.95
Dec. 11th, 1919, F. R. Deckrow, repairs..... 56.45
Dec. 20th, 1919, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Dec. 20th, 1919, Geo. Howard, labor..... 2.50
Dec. 20th, 1919, C. Sorenson, repairs..... 5.75
Dec. 22nd, 1919, A. Cramer, repairs..... 12.87
Dec. 29th, 1919, Mrs. Stillwagon, board..... 12.00
Dec. 30th, 1919, F. R. Deckrow, repairs..... 12.60
Jan. 8th, 1920, Mrs. Kaivonen, janitor..... 60.00
Jan. 8th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Jan. 8th, 1920, W. Wilson Co., supplies..... 15.36
Jan. 5th, 1920, Houghton Mifflin Co., books..... 6.87
Jan. 5th, 1920, Macmillan Co., books..... 1.80
Jan. 5th, 1920, J. A. Holliday, supplies..... 1.40
Jan. 5th, 1920, Johnson Service Co., repairs..... 7.70
Jan. 5th, 1920, D. C. Heath Co., books..... 1.26
Jan. 5th, 1920, The A. N. Palmer Co., books..... 7.88
Jan. 5th, 1920, Shannon Bartlett Co., books..... 45.72
Jan. 5th, 1920, Scott Foresman Co., books..... 15.96
Jan. 5th, 1920, E. A. W. Rowles Co., books..... 5.35
Jan. 5th, 1920, Ginn & Co., books..... 11.50
Jan. 5th, 1920, Salling Hanson Co., supplies..... 11.50
Jan. 5th, 1920, R. Hanson & Sons, wood..... 427.75
Jan. 5th, 1920, O. Corwin, freight and dray..... 8.87
Jan. 5th, 1920, Chicago Canvas Co., flag..... 3.11
Jan. 5th, 1920, Kelly Foundry Co., crates..... 155.00
Jan. 7th, 1920, W. L. Williams, wood..... 15.00
Jan. 8th, 1920, M. C. R. Co., freight..... 47.36
Jan. 8th, 1920, M. A. Atkinson, supplies..... 12.40
Jan. 8th, 1920, Dustless Brush Co., brushes..... 5.25
Jan. 8th, 1920, A. M. Lewis, supplies..... 8.40
Jan. 8th, 1920, L. J. Kraus, supplies..... 39.02
Jan. 8th, 1920, Mitchell & Jorgenson, decor..... 74.00
Jan. 8th, 1920, Crawford Avalanche, printing..... 12.50
Jan. 8th, 1920, J. I. Holcomb Co., supplies..... 16.21
Jan. 8th, 1920, Am. Book Co., books..... 4.31
Jan. 9th, 1920, Standard Oil Co., oil..... 20.40
Jan. 10th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Jan. 13th, 1920, C. C. Fehr, repairs..... 7.00
Jan. 14th, 1920, Grayling Fuel Co., coal..... 50.72
Jan. 14th, 1920, Len Isenbauer, team work..... 37.60
Jan. 17th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Jan. 17th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Jan. 23rd, 1920, Johnson Service Co., supplies..... 52.86

Jan. 24th, 1920, Salling Hanson Co., supplies..... 1.40
Jan. 24th, 1920, Telephone Co., service and supplies..... 94.65
Jan. 24th, 1920, R. Hanson & Sons, wood..... 72.00
Jan. 24th, 1920, Grayling Electric Co., service..... 35.80
Jan. 24th, 1920, Acme Chemical Co., supplies..... 13.17
Jan. 24th, 1920, A. Flanigan Co., books..... 8.28
Jan. 24th, 1920, Houghton Mifflin Co., books..... 2.55
Jan. 24th, 1920, C. J. Hathaway, repairs..... 1.50
Jan. 24th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Jan. 24th, 1920, Embury-Martin Co., wood..... 274.00
Jan. 28th, 1920, Percy Failing, labor..... 4.20
Jan. 28th, 1920, Standard Oil Co., oil..... 18.90
Jan. 28th, 1920, Grayling Fuel Co., coal..... 20.00
Jan. 31st, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Jan. 28th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Feb. 2nd, 1920, F. R. Deckrow, repairs..... 26.35
Feb. 13th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 30.00
Feb. 13th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Feb. 20th, 1920, M. C. R. Co., freight..... 41.85
Feb. 20th, 1920, retirement fund, pensions..... 75.55
Feb. 20th, 1920, R. Gage Coal Co., coal..... 183.92
Feb. 21st, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Feb. 23rd, 1920, Grayling Fuel Co., coal..... 91.60
Feb. 24th, 1920, Grayling Fuel Co., coal..... 332.95
Feb. 24th, 1920, Len Isenbauer, team work..... 32.95
Feb. 26th, 1920, Handy Bros., coal..... 202.12
Feb. 27th, 1920, Mrs. Stillwagon, board..... 32.00
Feb. 28th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Feb. 28th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Feb. 28th, 1920, J. A. Cramer, repairs..... 9.85
Mar. 1st, 1920, F. R. Deckrow, repairs..... 13.50
Mar. 6th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Mar. 9th, 1920, Standard Oil Co., oil..... 19.95
Mar. 12th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Mar. 12th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Mar. 12th, 1920, J. A. Cramer, repairs..... 4.00
Mar. 15th, 1920, L. Isenbauer, team work..... 25.00
Mar. 15th, 1920, Standard Oil Co., oil..... 20.90
Mar. 15th, 1920, Mrs. Stillwagon, board..... 16.00
Mar. 27th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
Mar. 27th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
Mar. 29th, 1920, Standard Oil Co., Lub. oil..... 14.37
Mar. 29th, 1920, Scott Foresman Co., books..... 12.00
Mar. 29th, 1920, Johnson Service Co., repairs..... 7.65
Mar. 29th, 1920, Am. Book Co., books..... 18.08
April 3rd, 1920, J. A. Cramer, repairs..... 1.00
April 3rd, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
April 3rd, 1920, C. Sorenson, decorating..... 91.16
April 8th, 1920, Bank of Grayling, notes..... 8,500.00
April 8th, 1920, Bank of Grayling, interest..... 1.00
April 8th, 1920, Bank of Grayling, bonds..... 1,000.00
April 8th, 1920, Bank of Grayling, interest..... 12.00
April 10th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
April 10th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
April 10th, 1920, N. H. Nielson, repairs..... 5.50
April 10th, 1920, W. L. Williams, wood..... 17.50
April 10th, 1920, Standard Oil Co., fuel, oil..... 19.95
April 11th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 43.75
April 17th, 1920, M. A. Bates, expenses..... 50.00
April 17th, 1920, Telephone Co., service..... 24.72
April 17th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
April 23rd, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
April 23rd, 1920, Grayling Fuel Co., coal..... 60.43
April 28th, 1920, Bank of Grayling, bonds..... 2,500.00
April 28th, 1920, Bank of Grayling, interest..... 2,000.00
April 28th, 1920, M. Hanson, insurance..... 21.40
May 1st, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
May 1st, 1920, F. R. Deckrow, repairs..... 16.85
May 7th, 1920, Mrs. Stillwagon, board..... 16.00
May 8th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 43.75
May 8th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
May 14th, 1920, Hazel Cassidy, Clerk work..... 20.00
May 15th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
May 17th, 1920, Standard Oil Co., fuel, oil..... 22.80
May 17th, 1920, Ginn & Co., books..... 39.88
May 18th, 1920, Crawford Avalanche, printing..... 17.40
May 18th, 1920, Sorenson Bros., supplies..... 100.60
May 18th, 1920, A. P. W. Paper Co., paper..... 6.36
May 18th, 1920, Scribner & Sons, book..... 1.88
May 18th, 1920, Macmillan Co., book..... 4.80
May 18th, 1920, Harper Bros., book..... 1.63
May 19th, 1920, Thos. Charles Co., supplies..... 6.57
May 19th, 1920, Am. Book Co., books..... 19.54
May 19th, 1920, A. M. Lewis, supplies..... 7.40
May 19th, 1920, D. C. Heath Co., books..... 4.52
May 21st, 1920, C. E. Merrill Co., books..... 15.40
May 22nd, 1920, Grayling Electric Co., coal..... 364.00
May 22nd, 1920, Grayling Electric Co., service..... 50.85
May 22nd, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 62.50
May 25th, 1920, Standard Oil Co., floor oil..... 49.95
May 28th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 87.50
May 29th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
June 1st, 1920, Standard Oil Co., fuel, oil..... 17.09
June 4th, 1920, Ed. G. Clark, music..... 50.00
June 5th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 43.75
June 5th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
June 11th, 1920, Ed. G. Clark, music..... 19.00
June 12th, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 43.75
June 14th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
June 17th, 1920, R. P. Pomeroy, piano tuning..... 15.00
June 19th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
June 26th, 1920, Jas. Sweeney, janitor..... 15.00
June 28th, 1920, A. Peterson, clock repair..... 2.00
June 28th, 1920, Crawford Avalanche, printing..... 56.05
July 2nd, 1920, Am. Express Co., express..... 1.03
July 3rd, 1920, Sherman Neal, janitor..... 15.00
July 3rd, 1920, Hazel Cassidy, clerk service..... 10.00
Balance on hand..... 8,528.96
Total..... \$27,263.82

Primary Fund Account.

Balance on hand July 14th, 1919..... 1,892.47
Received Nov. 15th, 1919, Primary fund..... 6,344.80
Received April 9th, 1919, voted tax..... 18,000.00
Total..... \$21,237.27

Expenditures—Salaries.

Sept. 16th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 16th, 1919, Miss Shier, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 16th, 1919, Miss Force, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 16th, 1919, Miss Austin, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 16th, 1919, Miss Button, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Wells, salary..... 110.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Loss, salary..... 100.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 60.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Mr. Fox, salary..... 157.90
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss McCauley, salary..... 95.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Massa, salary..... 55.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Rodgers, salary..... 80.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Lipe, salary..... 80.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Berg, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Shier, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss McGillis, salary..... 80.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Force, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Lockhoff, salary..... 80.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Geigling, salary..... 80.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 80.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Hott, salary..... 40.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Smith, salary..... 80.00
Sept. 26th, 1919, Miss Button, salary..... 200.00
Oct. 11th, 1919, Miss Shier, salary..... 45.00
Oct. 11th, 1919, Miss Austin, salary..... 45.00
Oct. 11th, 1919, Miss Button, salary..... 55.00
Oct. 11th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Oct. 14th, 1919, Miss Wells, salary..... 60.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Loss, salary..... 110.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 55.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss McCauley, salary..... 95.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Rodgers, salary..... 80.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Berg, salary..... 40.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Shier, salary..... 45.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss McGillis, salary..... 80.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Force, salary..... 45.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Lockhoff, salary..... 80.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Geigling, salary..... 80.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 80.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Hott, salary..... 40.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Smith, salary..... 80.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Button, salary..... 200.00
Mar. 6th, 1920, Mrs. Otterbein, salary..... 75.00
Mar. 12th, 1920, Miss Austin, salary..... 45.00
Mar. 12th, 1920, Miss Button, salary..... 55.00
Mar. 12th, 1920, Miss Lockwood, salary..... 45.00
Mar. 12th, 1920, Miss Berg, salary..... 45.00
Mar. 12th, 1920, Miss Geigling, salary..... 45.00
Mar. 12th, 1920, Miss Lockhoff, salary..... 45.00



MARY PICKFORD in "HEART O' THE HILLS"

OPERA HOUSE, GRAYLING, TUESDAY, AUG. 3
ONE NIGHT ONLY

Prices 25 and 35 Cents. This Includes War Tax.

Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Geigling, salary..... 90.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 80.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Austin, salary..... 45.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Hott, salary..... 100.00
Oct. 24th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 200.00
Nov. 7th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Nov. 7th, 1919, Miss Austin, salary..... 45.00
Nov. 8th, 1919, Miss Button, salary..... 55.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Wells, salary..... 120.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Loss, salary..... 110.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Button, salary..... 55.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Mr. Fox, salary..... 157.90
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss McCauley, salary..... 95.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Massa, salary..... 55.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Rodgers, salary..... 80.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Lockwood, salary..... 45.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 90.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Shier, salary..... 90.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss McGillis, salary..... 90.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Force, salary..... 90.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Lockhoff, salary..... 90.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Geigling, salary..... 90.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 100.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Miss Smith, salary..... 90.00
Nov. 21st, 1919, Mr. Otterbein, salary..... 200.00
Nov. 26th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Nov. 26th, 1919, Miss Button, salary..... 125.00
Dec. 5th, 1919, Miss Button, salary..... 55.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Shier, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Wells, salary..... 120.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Loss, salary..... 110.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 55.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Mr. Fox, salary..... 157.90
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss McCauley, salary..... 105.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Massa, salary..... 95.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Rodgers, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Lockwood, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Shier, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss McGillis, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Force, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Lockhoff, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Geigling, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 100.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Smith, salary..... 90.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Mr. Otterbein, salary..... 200.00
Dec. 19th, 1919, Miss Parr, salary..... 80.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Mrs. Sparkes, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Berg, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Austin, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss McGillis, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Massa, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Lockhoff, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Button, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Wells, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Geigling, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Shier, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss McCauley, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Rodgers, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Lockwood, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Button, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Wells, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Geigling, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Shier, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss McGillis, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Force, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Lockhoff, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Geigling, salary..... 45.00
Jan. 15th, 1920, Miss Parr, salary..... 45.00
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